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P S A L T E R.

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*Psalms* of D A V I D

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T R A N S L A T I O N of the *Great B I B L E*;

Pointed as they are to be S U N G or S A I D in C H U R C H E S.

*With the Addition of Morning and Evening*

P R A Y E R S.



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# Morning Prayer.



## Sentences of the SCRIPTURE.

**W**HEN the wicked man turneth away from his wickedness that he hath committed, and doth that which is lawful and right, he shall save his soul alive.

I acknowledge my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.

Hide thy face from my sins, and blot out all mine iniquities.

The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, thou wilt not despise.

Rent your heart, and not your garments, and turn unto the Lord your God: for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and of great kindness: and repenteth him of the evil.

To the Lord our God belong mercies and forgiveness, though we have rebelled against him, neither have we obeyed the voice of the Lord our God, to walk in his laws which he set before us.

O Lord, correct me, but with judgment; not in thine anger, lest thou bring me to nothing.

Repent ye; for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

I will arise and go to my Father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned against heaven, and before thee, and am no more worthy to be called thy son.

Enter not into judgment with thy servant, O Lord: for in thy sight shall no man living be justified.

If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

### *The Exhortation.*

**D**early beloved brethren, the scripture moveth us in sundry places to acknowledge and confess our manifold sins and wickedness, and that we should not

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dissemble nor cloke them before the face of Almighty God our heavenly Father, but confesse them with an humble, lowly, penitent and obedient heart, to the end that we may obtain forgiveness of the same by his infinite goodness and mercy. And although we ought at all times humbly to acknowledge our sins before God, yet ought we most chiefly so to do, when we assemble and meet together to render thanks for the great benefits that we have received at his hands, to set forth his most worthy praise, to hear his most holy word, and to ask those things which are requisite and necessary, as well for the body as the soul. Wherefore I pray and beseech you, as many as are here present, to accompany me with a pure heart, and humble voice, unto the throne of the heavenly grace, saying after me.

*A general Confession.*

**A**lmighty and most merciful Father; we have erred and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our

own hearts. We have offended against thy holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; And there is no health in us. But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare thou them, O God, which confess their faults. Restore thou them, that are penitent; according to thy promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake; that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life. To the glory of thy holy name. *Amen.*

*The Absolution or Remission of Sin.*

**A**lmighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who desireth not the death of a sinner, but rather that he may turn from his wickedness and live; and hath given power and commandment to his minister to declare and pronounce to his people, being penitent, the absolution, and remission of their sins: He pardoneth and absolveth all

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them that truly repent, and unfeignedly believe his holy Gospel. Wherefore let us beseech him to grant us true repentance, and his holy Spirit, that those things may please him which we do at this present, and that the rest of our life hereafter may be pure and holy; so that at the last we may come to his eternal joy through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*The Lord's Prayer.*

**O** UR Father which art in heaven; Hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, As it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil: For thine is the Kingdom, and the Power, and the Glory, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

*Then say,* O Lord, open thou our lips.

*Answer,* And our mouth shall shew forth thy praise.

*Priest,* O God, make speed to save us.

*Answer,* O Lord, make haste to help us.

*Pr.* Glory be to the Father, &c.

*A.* As it was in the beginning, &c.

*Pr.* Praise ye the Lord.

*A.* The Lord's Name be praised.

*Venite exultemus.*

**O** Come let us sing unto the Lord: let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation.

Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving: and shew yourselves glad in him with psalms.

For the Lord is a great God: and a great King above all gods.

In his hand are all the corners of the earth: and the strength of the hills is his also.

The sea is his, and he made it: and his hands prepared the dry land.

O come, let us worship and fall down: and kneel before the Lord our Maker.

For he is the Lord our God; and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

To day if ye will hear his voice, harden not your hearts as in the provocation, and as in the day of temptation

*A* 3 *tation*



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tation in the wilderness ;  
When your fathers temp-  
red me, proved me, and saw  
my works.

Forty years long was I  
grieved with this generati-  
on, and said : It is a people  
that do err in their hearts,  
for they have not known  
my ways.

Unto whom I fware in  
my wrath : that they should  
not enter into my rest.

Glory be to the Father, &c.

As it was in the begin-  
ning, &c.

*Te Deum Laudamus.*

**W**E praise thee, O God:  
we acknowledge thee  
to be the Lord.

All the earth doth wor-  
ship thee : the Father ever-  
lasting.

To thee all angels cry  
aloud : the Heavens, and  
all the powers therein.

To the Cherubin and Se-  
raphin : continually do cry  
Holy, Holy, Holy : Lord  
God of Sabaoth.

Heaven and earth are full  
of the Majesty, of thy Glory.

The glorious company of  
the Apostles : praise thee.

The goodly fellowship of  
the prophets : praise thee.

The noble army of mar-

tyrs : praise thee.

The holy church through-  
out all the world : doth  
acknowledge thee.

The Father : of an infi-  
nite Majesty.

Thine honourable, true,  
and only Son.

Also the Holy Ghost :  
the Comforter.

Thou art the King of  
glory : O Christ.

Thou art the everlasting  
Son : of the Father.

When thou tookest upon  
thee to deliver man ; thou  
didst not abhor the virgins  
womb.

When thou hadst over-  
come the sharpness of death  
thou didst open the king-  
dom of heaven to all be-  
lievers.

Thou sittest at the right  
hand of God in the glory of  
the Father.

We believe that thou shalt  
come : to be our Judge.

We therefore pray thee,  
help thy servants : whom  
thou hast redeemed, with  
thy precious blood.

Make them to be num-  
bred with thy saints ; in  
glory everlasting.

O Lord, save thy people :  
and bless thine inheritance.

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Govern them : and lift  
them up for ever.

Day by day ; we magni-  
fie thee.

And we worship thy  
Name : ever world without  
end.

Vouchsafe, O Lord : to  
keep us this day without sin.

O Lord, have mercy upon  
us ; have mercy upon us.

O Lord, let thy mercy  
lighten upon us : as our  
trust is in thee.

O Lord, in thee have I  
trusted : let me never be  
confounded.

*Benedicite, omnia Opera  
Domini.*

**O** All ye works of the  
Lord, bless ye the  
Lord : praise him and mag-  
nifie him for ever.

O ye angels of the Lord,  
bless ye the Lord : praise  
him and magnifie him for  
ever.

O ye Heavens, bless ye  
the Lord : praise him, and  
magnifie him for ever.

O ye waters that be above  
the firmament, bless ye the  
Lord ; praise him, and mag-  
nifie him for ever.

O all ye powers of the  
Lord ; bless ye the Lord :  
praise him, and magnifie  
him for ever.

O ye sun and moon, bless  
ye the Lord : praise him and  
magnifie him for ever.

O ye stars of Heaven,  
bless ye the Lord ; praise  
him, and magnifie him for  
ever.

O ye showers and dew,  
bless ye the Lord : praise  
him, and magnifie him for  
ever.

O ye winds of God, bless  
ye the Lord : praise him,  
and magnifie him for ever.

O ye fire and heat, bless  
ye the Lord : praise him,  
and magnifie him for ever.

O ye winter and sum-  
mer, bless ye the Lord ;  
praise him, and magnifie  
him for ever.

O ye dews and frosts, bless  
ye the Lord : praise him and  
magnifie him for ever.

O ye frost and cold, bless  
ye the Lord : praise him,  
and magnifie him for ever.

O ye ice and snow, bless  
ye the Lord : praise him  
and magnifie him for ever.

O ye nights and days,  
bless ye the Lord : praise him  
and magnifie him for ever.

O ye light and darkness,  
bless ye the Lord : praise him  
and magnifie him for ever.

O ye lightnings and  
clouds

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clouds, bless ye the Lord : him for ever.  
praise him, and magnifie him for ever.

O let the earth bless the Lord : yea. let it praise him and magnifie him for ever.

O ye mountains and hills, bless ye the Lord : praise him, and magnifie him for ever.

O all ye green things upon the earth, bless ye the Lord : praise him, and magnifie him for ever.

O ye wells, bless ye the Lord : praise him, and magnifie him for ever.

O ye seas and floods, bless ye the Lord : praise him, and magnifie him for ever.

O ye whales, and all that move in the waters, bless ye the Lord : praise him, and magnifie him for ever.

O all ye fowls of the air, bless ye the Lord : praise him, and magnifie him for ever.

O all ye beasts and cattle, bless ye the Lord : praise him, and magnifie him for ever.

O ye children of men, bless ye the Lord : praise him, and magnifie him for ever.

O let Israel bless the Lord, praise him, and magnifie

him for ever.

O ye priests of the Lord, bless ye the Lord : praise him, and magnifie him for ever.

O ye servants of the Lord, bless ye the Lord : praise him, and magnifie him for ever.

O ye spirits and souls of the righteous, bless ye the Lord : praise him, and magnifie him for ever.

O ye holy and humble men of heart, bless ye the Lord : praise him, and magnifie him for ever.

O Ananias, Azarias, and Misael, bless ye the Lord : praise him, and magnifie him for ever.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son ; and to the Holy Ghost ;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be ; World without end, Amen.

*Benedictus.*

**B**lessed be the Lord God of Israel : for he hath visited and redeemed his people ;

And hath raised up a mighty salvation for us : in the house of his servant David.

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As he spake by the mouth of his holy prophets: which have been since the world began;

That we should be saved from our enemies; and from the hands of all that hate us;

To perform the mercy promised to our forefathers: and to remember his holy covenant;

To perform the oath which he sware to our forefather Abraham: that he would give us,

The we being delivered out of the hand of our enemies; might serve him without fear;

In holiness and righteousness, before him: all the days of our life.

And thou Child, shalt be called the prophet of the Highest: for thou shalt go before the face of the Lord to prepare his ways.

To give knowledge of salvation unto his people: for the remission of their sins.

Through the tender mercy of our God: whereby the day spring from on high hath visited us.

To give light to them that sit in darkness, and in the shadow of death: and

to guide our feet into the way of peace.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end, Amen.

*Jubilate Deo.*

**O** Be joyful in the Lord all ye lands: serve the Lord with gladness, and come before his presence with a song.

Be ye sure that the Lord he is God: it is he that hath made us and not we ourselves, we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and speak good of his Name.

For the Lord is gracious, his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth from generation to generation.

Glory be to the Father, &c.

As it was in the beginning, &c.

*The Creed.*

**I** Believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ his only

A 5 Son



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Son, our Lord. Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary. Suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried: he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right-hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy Catholick Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. *Amen.*

*Pr.* The Lord be with you.

*Ans.* And with thy Spirit.

*Let us pray.*

Lord, have mercy upon us.

*Christ, have mercy upon us.*

Lord, have mercy upon us.

**O** U R Father which art in Heaven; Hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, As it is in heaven, Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive them that trespass against us. And lead

us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. *Amen.*

*Pr.* O Lord, shew thy mercy upon us.

*Ans.* And grant us thy salvation.

*Pr.* O Lord save the King.

*Ans.* And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.

*Pr.* Endue thy Ministers with righteousness.

*Ans.* And make thy chosen people joyful.

*Pr.* O Lord, save thy people.

*Ans.* And bless thine inheritance.

*Pr.* Give peace in our time, O Lord.

*Ans.* Because there is none other that fighteth for us, but only thou, O God.

*Pr.* O God, make clean our hearts within us.

*Ans.* And take not thy holy Spirit from us.

*The Collect for Peace.*

**O** God, who are the Author of peace, and lover of concord, in knowledge of whom standeth our eternal life, whose service is perfect freedom; defend us thy humble servants, in all assaults of our enemies, that we surely trusting in thy defence,

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defence, may not fear the power of any adversaries, through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

*The Collect for Grace.*

**O** Lord, our heavenly Father, Almighty and everlasting God, who hast safely brought us to the beginning of this day ; Defend us in the same with thy mighty power ; and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger ; but that all our doings may be ordered by thy governance, to do always that is righteous in thy sight, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

*A Prayer for his Majesty.*

**O** Lord our heavenly Father, high and mighty Kings of kings, Lord of lords, the only Ruler of princes, who dost from thy throne behold all the dwellers upon earth ; most heartily we beseech thee with thy favour to behold our most gracious Sovereign Lord King *George*, and so replenish him with the grace of the Holy Spirit, that he may alway incline to thy will, and walk in thy way. Endue him plenteously with heavenly gifts, grant him in

health and wealth long to live, strengthen him that he may vanquish and overcome all his enemies ; and finally after this life, he may attain everlasting joy and felicity, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

*A Prayer for the Royal Family.*

**A**LMIGHTY God, the Fountain of all goodness, we humbly beseech thee, to bless their Royal Highnesses *George* Prince of *Wales*, the Princess of *Wales*, the Duke, the Princesses, and all the Royal Family : Endue them with thy holy Spirit : Enrich them with thy heavenly grace ; prosper them with all happiness : and bring them to thine everlasting kingdom, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

*A Prayer for the Clergy and People.*

**A**LMIGHTY and everlasting God, who alone workst great marvels ; Send down upon our Bishops and Curates, and all Congregations committed to their charge, the healthful Spirit of thy grace, and that they may truly please thee, pour

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upon them the continual dew of thy blessing. Grant this, O Lord, for the honour of our Advocate and Mediator Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

*A Prayer of St. Chrysostom.*

**A**LMIGHTY God, who hast given us grace at this time with one accord, to make our common supplications unto thee, and dost promise, that when two or three are gathered together in thy Name, thou wilt

grant their requests; Fulfil now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of thy servants as may be most expedient for them; granting us in this world knowledge of thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. *Amen.*

*2 Cor. 13. 14.*

**T**HE grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost be with us all evermore. *Amen.*

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**O**UR Father which art in Heaven; Hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil; for thine is the kingdom, and the Power, and the Glory, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

*Pr.* O Lord, open thou our lips.

*Answ.* And our mouth shall shew forth thy praise.

*Pr.* O God make speed to save us,

*Answ.* O Lord, make hast to help us.

*Pr.* Glory be to the Father, and to the Son; and to the Holy Ghost.

*Answ.* As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be; world without end. *Amen.*

*Pr* Praise ye the Lord.

*Answ.* The Lord's name, be praised.

*Magnificat.*

**M**Y soul doth magnify the Lord; And my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour.

For he hath regarded: the

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the lowliness of his hand-  
maiden. For behold from  
henceforth; all generations  
shall call me blessed.

For he that is mighty hath  
magnified me, and holy is  
his name.

And his mercy is on them  
that fear him; throughout  
all generations.

He hath shewed strength  
with his arm; he hath scat-  
tered the proud in the ima-  
gination of their hearts.

He hath put down the  
mighty from their seat: and  
hath exalted the humble and  
meek.

He hath filled the hungry  
with good things: and the  
rich he hath sent empty a-  
way.

He remembering his mer-  
cy, hath holpen his servant  
Israel: as he promised to  
our Fore-fathers, Abraham  
and his seed for ever.

Glory be to the Father,  
and to the Son: and to the  
Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning,  
is now, and ever shall be;  
world without end. *Amen.*

*Cantate Domino canticum  
novum.*

**O** Sing unto the Lord a  
new song; for he hath  
done marvellous things..

With his own right hand  
and with his holy arm:  
hath he gotten himself the  
victory.

The Lord declared his  
salvation: his righteousness  
hath he openly shewed in  
the sight of the heathen.

He hath remembered his  
mercy and truth towards  
the house of Israel: and all  
the ends of the world have  
seen the salvation of our  
God.

Shew yourselves joyful  
unto the Lord all ye lands:  
sing, rejoice, and give  
thanks.

Praise the Lord upon the  
harp; sing to the harp, with  
a psalm of thanksgiving.

With trumpets also and  
shawms; O shew yourselves  
joyful before the Lord the  
King.

Let the sea make a noise  
and all that therein is; the  
round world, and they that  
dwell therein.

Let the floods clap their  
hands, and let the hills be  
joyful together before the  
Lord: for he cometh to  
judge the earth.

With righteousness shall  
he judge the world, and the  
people with equity;

Glory



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Glory be to the Father, judge the folk righteously ;  
and to the Son ; and to the and govern the nations up-  
Holy Ghost. on earth.

At it was in the beginning, Let the people praise thee,  
is now, and ever shall be ; O God : yea, let all the peo-  
world without end. *Amen.* ple praise thee.

*Nunc Dimittis.*

**L**ord now lettest thou thy Then shall the earth bring  
servant depart in peace, forth her increase : and God  
according to thy word. even our own God, shall  
give us his blessing.

For mine eyes have seen God shall bless us : and  
thy salvation. all the ends of the world  
Which thou hast prepared ; shall fear him.

Before the face of all people. Glory be to the Father,  
and to the Son : and to the  
Holy Ghost ;

To be a light to lighten As it was in the beginning,

the Gentiles ; and to be the is now, and ever shall be ;  
glory of thy people Israel. world without end. *Amen.*

Glory be to the Father,  
and to the Son ; and to the  
Holy Ghost.

At it was in the beginning,  
is now, and ever shall be ;  
world without end. *Amen.*

*Deus misereatur nostri.*  
**G**OD be merciful unto  
us, and bless us ; and  
shew us the light of his  
countenance, and be mer-  
ciful unto us.

That thy way may be  
known upon earth : thy  
saving health among all  
nations.

Let the people praise  
thee, O God ; yea, let all  
the people praise thee.

O let the nations rejoice  
and be glad ; for thou shalt

*The Creed.*  
**I** Believe in God the Fa-  
ther Almighty Maker  
of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ his  
only Son our Lord, who  
was conceived by the Holy  
Christ, born of the virgin  
Mary. Suffered under Pon-  
tius Pilate, was crucified  
dead, and buried. He de-  
scended into hell ; the third  
day he rose again from  
the dead ; He ascended in-  
to heaven, and sitteth on  
the right hand of God the  
Father Almighty ; from  
thence he shall come to  
judge

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ly ; judge the quick and the  
up- dead. I believe in the Holy  
Ghost, The holy Catholick  
Church, The communion of  
Saints, The forgiveness of  
sins, The resurrection of the  
body, and the life everlasting.  
*Amen.*

*Pr.* The Lord be with  
you.

*Ans.* And with thy Spirit.  
*Let us Pray.*

Lord have mercy upon us.

*Christ have mercy upon us.*

Lord have mercy upon us.

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Heaven, Hallowed be  
thy Name. Thy Kingdom  
come. Thy will be done  
in earth, As it is in Heaven.  
Give us this day our daily  
bread. And forgive us our  
trespasses, As we forgive  
them that trespass against  
us. And lead us not into  
temptation, but deliver us  
from evil. *Amen.*

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mercy upon us.

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salvation.

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us, when we call upon thee.

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with righteousness.

*Ans.* And make thy cho-  
sen people joyful.

*Pr.* O Lord save thy people.

*Ans.* And bless thine in-  
heritance.

*Pr.* Give peace in our  
time, O Lord.

*Ans.* Because there is none  
other that fighteth for us,  
but only thou, O God.

*Pr.* O God, make clean  
our hearts within us.

*Ans.* And take not thy  
Holy Spirit from us.

*A Collect.*

**O** God, from whom all  
holy desires, all good  
counsels, and all just works  
do proceed ; Give unto thy  
servants that peace which  
the world cannot give, that  
both our hearts may be set  
to obey thy commandments,  
and also that by thee we  
being defended from the  
fear of our enemies, may,  
pass our time in rest and  
quietness, through the me-  
rits of Jesus Christ our Sa-  
viour. *Amen.*

*A Collect for aid against all  
Perils.*

**L**ighten our darkness, we  
beseech thee, O Lord,  
and by thy great mercy de-  
fend us from all perils and  
dangers of this night, for  
the love of thy only Son,  
our Saviour Jesus Christ.  
*Amen.*

*Qui.*

*Quicumque vult.*

**W**Hosoever will be saved ; before all things it is necessary that he hold the Catholick Faith.

Which faith, except every one do keep whole and undefiled ; without doubt he shall perish everlastingly.

And the Catholick Faith is this, that we worship one God, in Trinity, and Trinity in Unity ;

Neither confounding the Persons : nor dividing the Substance.

For there is one Person of the Father, another of the Son ; and another of the Holy Ghost.

But the God-head of the Father, of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost is all one : the Glory equal, the Majesty co-eternal.

Such as the Father is, such is the Son ; and such is the Holy Ghost.

The Father uncreate, the Son uncreate : and the Holy Ghost uncreate.

The Father incomprehensible, the Son incomprehensible ; and the Holy Ghost incomprehensible.

The Father eternal, the Son eternal : and the Holy

Ghost eternal.

And yet there are not three eternals : but one eternal.

As also there are not three incomprehensibles, nor three uncreated ; but one uncreated, and one incomprehensible.

So likewise the Father, is Almighty, the Son Almighty : and the Holy Ghost Almighty.

And yet there are not three Almighties : but one Almighty.

So the Father is God, the Son is God : and the Holy Ghost is God.

And yet they are not three Gods, but one God.

So likewise the Father is Lord, the Son Lord ; and Holy Ghost is Lord ;

And yet not three Lords : but one Lord.

For like as we are compelled by the Christian verity : to acknowledge every Person by himself to be God and Lord.

So are we forbidden by the Catholick Religion : to say there be three Gods, or three Lords.

The Father is made of none : neither created, nor begotten.

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*Quicumque vult.*

The Son is of the Father substance of his mother, alone: not made nor created, but begotten. born in the world.

The Holy Ghost is of the Father, and of the Son: neither made, nor created, nor begotten, but proceeding. Perfect God and perfect Man: of a reasonable soul and human flesh subsisting; Equal to the Father, as touching his Godhead: and inferior to the Father, as touching his Man-hood.

So there is one Father, not three Fathers, one Son, not three Sons: one Holy Ghost, not three Holy Ghosts. Who although he be God and man: yet he is not two, but one Christ!

And in this Trinity none is afore or after other: none is greater or less than another; One, not by conversion of the God-head into flesh; but by taking of the Man-hood into God.

But the whole three Persons are co-eternal together; and co-equal. - One altogether: not by confusion of substance: but by unity of Person.

So that in all things as is aforesaid: the Unity in Trinity, and the Trinity in Unity is to be worshipped. For as the reasonable soul and flesh is one man: so God and man is one Christ.

He therefore that will be saved: must thus think of the Trinity. Who suffered for our salvation; descended into hell: rose again the third day from the dead.

Furthermore it is necessary to everlasting salvation, that he also believe rightly the incarnation of our Lord Jesus Christ. He ascended into heaven, he sitteth on the right-hand of the Father, God Almighty; from whence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

For the right Faith is, that we believe and confess, that our Lord Jesus Christ the Son of God, is God and man. At whose coming all men shall rise again, with their bodies; and shall give account for their own works.

God of the substance of the Father, begotten before the worlds: and Man of the And



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And they that have done good, shall go into life everlasting ; and they that have done evil, into everlasting fire.

This is the Catholick faith : which except a man believe faithfully he cannot be saved.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son ; and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be : world without end. *Amen.*

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#### *Litany.*

**O** God the Father of heaven : have mercy upon us miserable sinners.

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O God the Son, Redeemer of the world : have mercy upon us miserable sinners.

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O God the Holy Ghost, proceeding from the Father and the Son : have mercy upon us miserable sinners.

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O holy blessed and glorious Trinity, three Persons and One God, have mercy upon us miserable sinners.

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Remember not, Lord, our offences, nor the offences of our forefathers, neither take thou vengeance of our sins ; spare us, good Lord, spare thy people whom thou hast redeemed with thy most precious blood, and be not angry with us for ever.

*Spare us good Lord.*

From all evil and mischief, from sin : from the crafts and assaults of the Devil, from thy wrath, and from everlasting damnation.

*Good Lord, deliver us.*

From all blindness of heart, from pride, vain-glory and hypocrisy ; from envy, hatred, and malice, and all uncharitableness.

*Good Lord, deliver us.*

From fornication, and all other deadly sin, and from all the deceits of the world, the flesh, and the Devil.

*Good Lord, deliver us.*

From lightning and tempest, from plague, pestilence,

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ld, thee to hear us, O Lord,  
God, and that it may please  
thee to rule and govern thy  
m- holy Church universal in  
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*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee  
to keep and strengthen in  
the true worshipping of  
thee, in righteousness and  
holiness of life, thy servant  
George our most gracious  
King and Governor ;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee  
to rule his heart in thy faith,  
fear and love, and that he  
may evermore have affiance  
in thee, and ever seek thy  
honour and glory.

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee  
to be his defender and keep-  
er, giving him the victory  
over all his enemies.

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee  
to bless and preserve their  
Royal Highnesses, George  
Prince of Wales, the Prin-  
cess Dowager of Wales, the  
Duke, the Princesses, and all  
the Royal Family.

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee  
to illuminate all Bishops,  
Priests and Deacons, with  
true

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true knowledge and understanding of thy word, and that both by their preaching and living, they may set it forth, and shew it accordingly ;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to endue the Lords of the Council, and all the Nobility, with grace, wisdom, and understanding :

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to bless and keep the Magistrates, giving them grace to execute justice, and to maintain truth.

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to bless and keep all thy people ;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to give to all nations unity, peace and concord.

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to give us an heart to love and dread thee, and diligently to live after thy commandments.

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to give to all thy people increase of grace, to hear meekly thy word, and to receive it with pure affection, and to bring forth the fruits of the Spirit.

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to bring into the way of truth all such as have erred and are deceived.

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to strengthen such as do stand, and to comfort and help the weak hearted, and to raise up them that fall, and finally, to beat down Satan under our feet.

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to succour, help and comfort all that are in danger, necessity and tribulation.

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to preserve all that travel by land or by water, all women labouring of child, all sick persons, and young children, and to shew thy pity upon all prisoners and captives ;

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*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to defend and provide for the fatherless children, and widows, and all that are desolate and oppressed.

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to have mercy upon all men;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to forgive our enemies, persecutors and slanderers, and to turn their hearts;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to give and preserve to our use the kindly fruits of the earth, so as in due time we may enjoy them;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to give us true repentance, to forgive us all our sins, negligences and ignorances, and to endue us with the grace of the holy Spirit, to amend our lives according to thy holy word.

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

Son of God: we beseech thee to hear us.

*Son of God: we beseech thee to hear us.*

O Lamb of God: that takest away the sins of the world,

*Grant us thy peace.*

O Lamb of God: that takest away the sins of the world;

*Have mercy upon us.*

O Christ hear us,

*O Christ, hear us.*

Lord have mercy upon us.

*Lord have mercy upon us.*

Christ have mercy upon us.

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Lord, have mercy upon us.

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**O**UR Father which art in Heaven; Hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. *Amen.*

*Pr.* O Lord, deal not with us after our sins.

*Ans.* Neither reward us after our iniquities.

*Let us pray.*

**O** God, merciful Father, that despisest not the sigh-



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sighing of a contrite heart,  
nor the desire of such as be  
sorrowful, mercifully assist  
our prayers that we make  
before thee in all our trou-  
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ever they oppress us, and  
graciously hear us, that those  
evils which the craft and  
subtily of the devil or man  
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the providence of thy good-  
ness they may be dispersed;  
that we thy servants being  
hurt by no persecutions,  
may evermore give thanks  
unto thee in thy holy church,  
thro' Jesus Christ our Lord.

*O Lord, arise, help us, and de-  
liver us for thy Names sake.*

**O** God, we have heard,  
with our ears, and our  
fathers have declared unto  
us the noble works that  
thou didst in their days and  
in the old time before them.

*O Lord, arise, help us, and  
deliver us for thine honour.*

Glory be to the Father,  
and to the Son: and to the  
Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning,  
is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end. *Amen.*

From our enemies defend  
us, O Christ.

*Graciously look upon our  
afflictions.*

Pitifully behold the sor-  
rows of our hearts.

*Mercifully forgive the sins  
of thy people.*

Favourably with mercy  
hear our prayers.

*O Son of David have mer-  
cy upon us.*

Both now and ever vouch-  
safe to hear us, O Christ.

*Graciously hear us, O Christ  
graciously hear us, O Lord  
Christ.*

*Pr.* O Lord, let thy mer-  
cy be shewed upon us.

*Ans.* As we do put our  
trust in thee.

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thee, O Father, merci-  
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mities; and for the glory  
of thy name, turn from us  
all those evils that we most  
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and grant that in all our  
troubles we may put our  
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in thy mercy, and evermore  
serve thee in holiness and  
pureness of living, to thy  
honour and glory, through  
our only Mediator and Ad-  
vocate Jesus Christ our  
Lord. *Amen.*

*A Prayer*

## P R A Y E R S.

*A Prayer of St. Chrysostom.*

**A**LMIGHTY God, who hast given us grace at this time with one accord, to make our common supplications unto thee, and dost promise, that when two or three are gathered together in thy name, thou wilt grant their request; Fulfil now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of thy

servants, as may be most expedient for them, granting us in this world, knowledge of thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. *Amen.*

2 Cor. xiii. 14.

**T**HE grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore. *Amen.*

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*For Rain.*

**O** God heavenly Father, who by thy Son Jesus Christ, hast promised to all them that seek thy kingdom, and the righteousness thereof, all things necessary to their bodily sustenance; Send us, we beseech thee in this our necessity, such moderate rain and showers, that we may receive the fruits of the earth to our comfort, and to thy honour, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

*For fair Weather.*

**O** Almighty Lord God, who for the sin of man, didst once drown all the world, except eight persons, and afterward of thy great mercy didst promise never

to destroy it so again: We humbly beseech thee, that altho' we for our iniquities have worthily deserved a plague of rain and waters, yet upon our true repentance, thou wilt send us such weather, as that we may receive the fruits of the earth in due season, and learn both by thy punishment to amend our lives, and for thy clemency to give thee praise and glory, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

*In the Time of Dearth and Famine.*

**O** God heavenly Father, whose gift it is that the rain doth fall, the earth is fruitful, beasts increase, and fishes do multiply; Be-

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hold, we beseech thee, the afflictions of thy people, and grant that the scarcity and dearth, which we do now most justly suffer for our iniquity, may through thy goodness, be mercifully turned into cheapness and plenty for the love of Jesus Christ our Lord: To whom with thee, and the holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, now and for ever. *Amen.*

*Or this.*

**O** God merciful Father, who in the time of *Elisba* the prophet, didst suddenly in *Samaria* turn great scarcity & dearth into plenty and cheapness; Have mercy upon us, that we who are now for our sins punished with like adversity, may likewise find a seasonable relief: Increase the fruits of the earth by thy heavenly benediction: and grant that we receiving thy bountiful liberality, may use the same to thy glory, the relief of those that are needy, and our own comfort, thro' Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

*In the Time of War and Tumults.*

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## T H A N K S G I V I N G S.

*A general Thanksgiving.*

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*For Deliverance from the Plague, or other common Sicknes.*

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*Or this.*

**W**E humbly acknowledge before thee, O *Amen.*

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## The C A T E C H I S M.

*Question.*

**W**HAT is your name? fathers and Godmothers then for you?

*Answ. N. or M.*

**Q.** Who gave you this name? *A.* They did promise and vow three things in my name: First, that I should

*A.* My Godfathers and Godmothers in my baptism, wherein I was made a member of Christ, a child of God, and an inheritor of the kingdom of heaven. renounce the Devil and all his works, the pomps and vanity of this wicked world, and all the sinful lusts of the flesh. Secondly, that I should believe all the Ar-

**Q.** What did your God-

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ticles of the Christian faith. And thirdly, that I should keep God's holy will and commandments, and walk in the same all the days of my life.

**Q.** Dost thou not think that thou art bound to believe, and to do, as they have promised for thee?

**A.** Yes verily; and by God's help so I will. And I heartily thank our heavenly Father, that he hath called me to this state of salvation, thro' Jesus Christ our Saviour. And I pray unto God to give me his grace, that I may continue in the same unto my life's end.

*Catechist.* Rehearse the Articles of thy Belief.

*Answer.*

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*Answ. N. or M.*

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7 My beauty is gone for very trouble : and worn away because of all mine enemies.

8 Away from me, all ye that work vanity : for the Lord hath heard the voice of my weeping.

9 The Lord hath heard my petition : the Lord will receive my prayer.

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**O** Lord my God, in thee have I put my trust : save me from all them that persecute me, and deliver me.

2 Lest he devour my soul like a lion, and tear it in pieces while there is none to help.

3 O Lord my God, if I have done any such thing : or if there be any wickedness in my hands ;

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7 And so shall the congregation of the people come about thee : for their sakes therefore lift up thyself again.

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4 For thou art the God  
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wickedness : neither shall  
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5 Such as be foolish shall  
not stand in thy sight : for  
thou hatest all them that  
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6 Thou shalt destroy  
them that speak leasing :  
the Lord will abhor both  
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ceitful man.

7 But as for me, I will  
come into thine house, even  
upon the multitude of thy  
mercies : and in thy fear  
will I worship toward thy  
holy temple.

8 Lead me, O Lord, in  
thy righteousness, because of  
mine enemies : make thy  
way plain before my face.

9 For there is no faith-  
fulness in his mouth : their  
inward parts are very wick-  
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10 Their throat is an open  
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11 Destroy thou them, O  
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12 And let all them that  
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*Psalms 6.*

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2 Have mercy upon me,  
O Lord, for I am weak : O  
Lord, heal me, for my bones  
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3 My soul also is fore-  
troubled : but Lord, how  
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4 Turn thee, O Lord,  
and deliver my soul : O save  
me for thy mercies sake.

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remembreth thee: and who will give thee thanks in the pit?

6 I am weary of my groaning: every night wash I my bed, and water my couch with my tears.

7 My beauty is gone for very trouble: and worn away because of all mine enemies.

8 Away from me, all ye that work vanity: for the Lord hath heard the voice of my weeping.

9 The Lord hath heard my petition: the Lord will receive my prayer.

10 All mine enemies shall be confounded, and forevexed: they shall be turned back, and put to shame suddenly.

*Psalms 7.*

**O** Lord my God, in thee have I put my trust: save me from all them that persecute me, and deliver me.

2 Lest he devour my soul like a lion, and tear it in pieces while there is none to help.

3 O Lord my God, if I have done any such thing: or if there be any wickedness in my hands;

4 If I have rewarded evil unto them that dealt friendly with me: yea, I have delivered him that without any cause is mine enemy.

5 Then let mine enemy persecute my soul, and take me, yea, let him tread my life down upon the earth, and lay mine honour in the dust.

6 Stand up, O Lord, in thy wrath, and lift up thyself, because of the indignation of mine enemies: arise up for me in the judgment that thou hast commanded.

7 And so shall the congregation of the people come about thee: for their sakes therefore lift up thyself again.

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3 While mine enemies are driven back : they shall fall and perish at thy presence.

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5 Thou hast rebuked the heathen, and destroyed the ungodly : thou hast put out their name for ever and ever.

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sight, and therefore desieth he all his enemies.

6 For he hath said in his heart, Tush, I shall never be cast down: there shall no harm happen unto me.

7 His mouth is full of cursing, deceit, and fraud: under his tongue is ungodliness and vanity.

8 He sitteth lurking in the thievish corners of the streets: and privily in his lurking dens doth he murder the innocent; his eyes are set against thee poor.

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the saints that are in the  
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9 From the ungodly that trouble me: mine enemies compass me round about to take away my soul.

10 They are inclosed in their own fat: and their mouth speaketh proud things.

11 They lie waiting in our way on every side, turning their eyes down to the ground.

12 Like as a lion that is greedy of his prey: and as he were a lion's whelp, lurking in secret places.

13 Up, Lord, disappoint him, and cast him down: deliver my soul from the ungodly, which is a sword of thine.

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hand, O Lord, from the men, I say, and from the evil world: which have their portion in this life, whose bellies thou fillest with thy hid treasure.

15 They have children at their desire: and leave the rest of their substance for their babes.

16 But as for me, I will behold thy presence in righteousness: and when I awake up after thy likeness, I shall be satisfied with it.

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*Psalms 18.*

**I** Will love thee, O Lord, my strength; the Lord is my stony rock and my defence: my Saviour, my God, and my might, in whom I will trust, my buckler, the horn also of my salvation, and my refuge.

2 I will call upon the Lord, which is worthy to be praised: so shall I be safe from mine enemies.

3 The sorrows of death compassed me: and the overflowings of ungodliness made me afraid.

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*Psalm 16.*

**P**Reserve me, O God :  
for in thee have I put  
my trust.

2 O my soul, thou hast  
said unto the Lord : Thou  
art my God, my goods are  
nothing unto thee.

3 All my delight is upon  
the saints that are in the  
earth : and upon such as  
excel in virtue.

4 But they that run after  
another god : shall have great  
trouble.

5 Their drink offerings  
of blood will I not offer :  
neither make mention of  
their names within my lips.

6 The Lord himself is  
the portion of mine inheri-  
tance and of my cup : thou  
shalt maintain my lot.

7 The lot is fallen unto  
me in a fair ground : yea,  
I have a goodly heritage.

8 I will thank the Lord  
for giving me warning : my  
reins also chasten me in the  
night season.

9 I have set God always  
before me : for he is on my  
right hand, therefore I shall  
not fall.

10 Wherefore my heart  
was glad, and my glory re-

joiced, my flesh also shall  
rest in hope.

11 For why ? thou shalt  
not leave my soul in hell,  
neither shalt thou suffer  
thy holy One to see corrup-  
tion.

12 Thou shalt shew me  
the path of life ; in thy pre-  
sence is the fulness of joy,  
and at thy right hand there  
is pleasure for evermore.

*Psalm 17.*

**H**EAR the right, () Lord,  
consider my com-  
plaint : and hearken unto  
my prayer, that goeth not  
out of feigned lips.

2 Let my sentence come  
forth from thy presence  
and let thine eyes look up-  
on the things that is equal

3 Thou hast proved, an-  
d visited mine heart in the  
night-season ; thou hast tried  
me, and shalt find no wicked-  
ness in me : for I am utterly  
purposed that my mouth  
shall not offend.

4 Because of mens works  
that are done against thee,  
words of thy lips : I have  
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8 There went a smoke out in his presence : and a consuming fire out of his mouth, so that coals were kindled at it.

9 He bowed the heavens also, and came down : and it was dark under his feet.

10 He rode upon the cherubims, and did fly : he came flying upon the wings of the wind.

11 He made darkness his secret place : his pavilion round about him with dark water, and thick clouds to cover him.

12 At the brightness of his presence his clouds removed : hail-stones & coals of fire.

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Highest gave his thunder : hail-stones and coals of fire.

14 He sent out his arrows, and scattered them : he cast forth lightnings, and destroyed them.

15 The springs of waters were seen, and the foundations of the round world were discovered at thy chiding, O Lord : at the blasting of the breath of thy displeasure.

16 He shall send down from on high to fetch me, and shall take me out of many waters.

17 He shall deliver me from my strongest enemy, and from them which hate me for they are too mighty for me.

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25 With the holy thou shalt be holy : and with a perfect man thou shalt be perfect.

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27 For thou shalt save the people that are in adversity : and shalt bring down the high looks of the proud.

28 Thou also shalt light my candle : the Lord my God shall make my darkness to be light.

29 For in thee I shall discomfit an host of men : and with the help of my God I shall leap over the wall.

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of the Lord also is tried in the fire ; he is the defender of all them that put their trust in him.

31 For who is God, but the Lord : or who hath any strength, except our God ?

32 It is God that girdeth me with strength of war : and maketh my way perfect.

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40 Thou hast made mine enemies also to turn their backs upon me : and I shall destroy them that hate me.      50 For this cause will I give thanks unto thee, O Lord, among the Gentiles :

41 They shall cry, but there shall be none to help them : Yea, even unto the Lord shall they cry, but he shall not hear them.      51 Great prosperity giveth he unto his King : and sheweth loving kindness unto David his Anointed, and unto his seed for evermore.

42 I will beat them as small as the dust before the wind : I will cast them out as the clay in the streets.

43 Thou shalt deliver me from the strivings of the people : and thou shalt make me the head of the heathen.

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8 They are brought down and fallen : but we are risen and stand upright.

9 Save, Lord, and hear us, O King of heaven : when we call upon thee.

*Psaln 21.*

**T**HE King shall rejoice in thy strength, O Lord : exceeding glade shall he be of thy salvation.

2 Thou hast given him his hearts desire : and hast not denied him the requests of his lips.

3 For thou shalt prevent him with the blessings of goodness : and shalt set a crown of pure gold upon his head.

4 He asked life of thee, and thou gavest him a long life : even for ever and ever.

5 His honour is great in thy salvation : glory and great worship shalt thou lay upon him.

6 For thou shalt give him everlasting felicity : and make him glad with the joy of thy countenance.

7 And why ? because the king putteth his trust in the Lord : and in the mercy of the most Highest he shall not miscarry.

8 All thine enemies shall feel thine hand : thy right-hand shall find out them that hate thee.

9 Thou shalt make them like a fiery oven in time of thy wrath : the Lord shall destroy them in his displeasure, and the fire shall consume them.

10 Their fruit shalt thou root out of the earth : and their seed from among the children of men.

11 For they intended mischief against thee : and imagined such a device as they are not able to perform.

12 Therefore shalt thou put them to flight : and the strings of thy bow shalt thou make ready against the face of them.

13 Be thou exalted, Lord, in thine own strength : for we will sing and praise thy power.

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*Psaln 22.*

**M**Y God, my God, look upon me, why hast thou

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thou forsaken me : and art  
so far from my health, and  
from the words of my com-  
plaint ?

2 O my God I cry in the  
day-time, but thou hearest  
not : and in the night sea-  
son also I take no rest.

3 And thou continuest  
holy : O thou worship of  
Israel.

4 Our fathers hoped in  
thee: they trusted in thee,  
and thou didst deliver them.

5 They called upon thee,  
and were holpen : they put  
their trust in thee, and were  
not confounded.

6 But as for me, I am a  
worm, and no man : a very  
scorn of men, and the out-  
cast of the people.

7 All they that see me,  
laugh me to scorn : they  
shoot out their lips, and  
shake their heads, saying,

8 He trusted in God,  
that he would deliver him :  
let him deliver him, if he  
will have him.

9 But thou art he that  
took me out of my mothers  
womb : thou wast my hope  
when I hanged yet upon  
my mothers breasts.

10 I have been left unto  
thee ever since I was born :

thou art my God even from  
my mothers womb.

11 O go not from me,  
for trouble is hard at hand :  
and there is none to help  
me.

12 Many oxen are come  
about me : fat bulls of Basan  
close me in on every side.

13 They gape upon me  
with their mouths : as it  
were a ramping and a roar-  
ing lion.

14 I am poured out like  
water : and all my heart  
also in the midst of my body  
is even like melting wax.

15 My strength is dried  
up like a potsherd, and  
my tongue cleaveth to my  
gums : and thou shalt bring  
me into the dust of death.

16 For many dogs are  
come about me : and the  
counsel of the wicked lay-  
eth siege against me.

17 They pierced my hands  
and my feet, I may tell all  
my bones they stand star-  
ing and looking upon me.

18 They part my gar-  
ments among them : and  
cast lots upon my vesture.

19 But be not thou far  
from me, O Lord : thou  
art my succour, haste thee  
to help me.



20 Deliver my soul from the sword : my darling from the power of the dog.

21 Save me from the lions mouth : thou hast heard me also from among the horns of the unicorns.

22 I will declare thy name unto my brethren : in the midst of the congregation will I praise thee.

23 O praise the Lord, ye that fear him : magnifie him, all ye of the seed of Jacob, and fear him, all ye seed of Israel.

24 For he hath not despised nor abhorred the low estate of the poor : he hath not hid his face from him, but when he called unto him, he heard him.

25 My praise is of thee in the great congregation : my vows will I perform in the sight of them that fear him.

26 The poor shall eat, and be satisfied : they that seek after the Lord shall praise him ; your heart shall live for ever.

27 All the ends of the world shall remember themselves, and be turned unto the Lord : and all the kindreds of the nations shall worship before him.

28 For the kingdom is the Lord's ; and he is the governor among the people.

29 All such as be fat upon earth : have eaten and worshipped.

30 All they that go down into the dust, shall kneel before him : and no man hath quickned his own soul.

31 My seed shall serve him : they shall be counted unto the Lord for a generation.

32 They shall come, and the heavens shall declare his righteousness : unto a people that shall be born, whom the Lord hath made.

*Psalms 23.*

**T**HE Lord is my shepherd : therefore can I lack nothing.

2 He shall feed me in a green pasture : and lead me forth beside the waters of comfort.

3 He shall convert my soul : and bring me forth in the paths of righteousness, for his name's sake.

4 Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil : for thou art with me, thy rod and thy staff comfort me.

5 Thou

5 Thou shalt prepare a table before me against them that trouble me ; thou hast anointed my head with oil, and my cup shall be full.

6 But thy loving kindness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life : and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

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*Psalms 24*

**T**HE earth is the Lord's and all that therein is ; the compass of the world, and they that dwell therein.

2 For he hath founded it upon the seas : and prepared it upon the floods.

3 Who shall ascend into the hill of the Lord ; or who shall rise up in his holy place?

4 Even he that hath clean hands, and a pure heart : and that hath not lifted up his mind unto vanity, nor sworn to deceive his neighbour,

5 He shall receive the blessing from the Lord : and righteousness from the God of his salvation.

6 This is the generation of them that seek him : even of them that seek thy face, O Jacob.

7 Lift up your heads, O ye

gates, and be ye lifted up, ye everlasting doors : and the King of glory shall come in.

8 Who is the King of glory : it is the Lord strong and mighty, even the Lord mighty in battle.

9 Lift up your heads, O ye gates, and be ye lifted up, ye everlasting doors : and the King of glory shall come in.

10 Who is the King of glory : even the Lord of hosts, he is the King of glory.

*Psalms 25.*

**U**Nto thee, O Lord, will I lift up my soul, my God, I have put my trust in thee : O let me not be confounded, neither let mine enemies triumph over me.

2 For all they that hope in thee shall not be ashamed : but such as transgress without a cause shall be put to confusion.

3 Shew me thy ways, O Lord : and teach me thy paths.

4 Lead me forth in thy truth, and learn me : for thou art the God of my salvation ; in thee hath been my hope all the day long,

5 Call to remembrance, O

C 3 Lord,

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Lord, thy tender mercies : 15 Turn thee unto me  
and thy loving kindnesſes and have mercy upon me :  
which have been ever of old. for I am deſolate and in

6 O remember not the ſins miſery.  
and offences of my youth : 16 The ſorrows of my  
but according to thy mer- heart are enlarged : O  
cy, think thou upon me, O bring thou me out of my  
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7 Gracious and righteous 17 Look upon my adver-  
is the Lord : therefore will ſity and miſery : and for-  
he teach ſinners in the way. give me all my ſin.

8 Them that are meek, 18 Conſider mine ene-  
ſhall he guide in judgment : mies how many they are :  
and ſuch as are gentle, them and they bear a tyrannous  
ſhall he learn his way. hate againſt me.

9 All the paths of the 19 O keep my ſoul, and  
Lord are mercy and truth : deliver me : let me not be  
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nant, and his teſtimonies. my truſt in thee.

10 For thy Names ſake, 20 Let perfectneſs and  
O Lord ; be merciful unto righteous dealing wait up-  
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11 What man is he that been in thee.  
feareth the Lord : him ſhall 21 Deliver Iſrael, O God :  
he teach in the way that he out of all his troubles.

*Pſalm 26.*

12 His ſoul ſhall dwell  
at eaſe ; and his ſeed ſhall  
inherit the land.

13 The ſecret of the Lord  
is among them that fear  
him : and he will ſhew  
them his covenant.

14 Mine eyes are ever  
looking unto the Lord : for  
he ſhall pluck my feet out  
of the net.

**B**E thou my judge, O  
Lord, for I have walk-  
ed innocently : my truſt  
hath been alſo in the Lord,  
therefore ſhall I not fall.

2 Examine me, O Lord,  
and prove me : try out my  
reins, and my heart.

3 For thy loving kindneſs  
is ever before mine eyes ;  
and I will walk in thy truth.

4 I have not dwelt with vain persons : neither will I have fellowship with the deceitful.

5 I have hated the congregation of the wicked : and will not sit among the ungodly.

6 I will wash my hands in innocency, O Lord : and so will I go to thine altar ;

7 That I may shew the voice of thanksgiving : and tell of all thy wondrous works.

8 Lord, I have loved the habitation of thy house : and the place where thine honour dwelleth.

9 O shut not up my soul with the sinners ; nor my life with the bloody-thirsty ;

10 In whose hands is wickedness : and their right-hand is full of gifts.

11 But as for me, I will walk innocently : O deliver me, and be merciful unto me.

12 My foot standeth right : I will praise the Lord in the congregations.

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*Psaln 27.*

**T**HE Lord is my light and my salvation ; whom then shall I fear ; the

Lord is the strength of my life ; of whom then shall I be afraid ?

2 When the wicked, even mine enemies, and my foes came upon me to eat up my flesh : they stumbled, and fell.

3 Though an host of men were laid against me, yet shall not my heart be afraid : and though there rose up war against me, yet will I put my trust in him.

4 One thing have I desired of the Lord which I will require : even that I may dwell in the house of the Lord, all the days of my life, to behold the fair beauty of the Lord, and to visit his temple.

5 For in the time of trouble he shall hide me in his tabernacle : yea, in the secret place of his dwelling shall he hide me, and set me up upon a rock of stone.

6 And now shall he lift up mine head : above mine enemies round about me.

7 Therefore will I offer in his dwelling an oblation with great gladness : I will sing, and speak praises unto the Lord.



8 Harken unto my voice,  
O Lord, when I cry unto  
thee : have mercy upon me,  
and hear me.

9 My heart hath talked  
of thee, seek ye my face :  
thy face, Lord, will I seek,

10 O hide not thou thy  
face from me : nor cast thy  
servant away in displeasure.

11 Thou hast been my  
succour : leave me not, nei-  
ther forsake me, O God of  
my salvation.

12 When my father and  
my mother forsake me ; the  
Lord taketh me up.

13 Teach me thy way,  
O Lord ; and lead me in  
the right way, because of  
mine enemies.

14 Deliver me not over  
unto the will of mine adver-  
saries : for there are false wit-  
nesses risen up against me,  
and such as speak wrong.

15 I should utterly have  
fainted : but that I believe  
verily to see the goodness of  
the Lord in the land of the  
living,

16 O tarry thou the  
Lord's leisure : be strong,  
and he shall comfort thine  
heart, and put thou thy  
trust in the Lord.

*Psalm 28.*

U N T O thee will I cry,  
O Lord, my strength :  
think no scorn of me, lest  
if thou make as though  
thou hearest not, I become  
like them that go down into  
the pit.

2 Hear the voice of my  
humble petitions, when I  
cry unto thee ; when I hold  
up my hands towards the  
mercy-seat of thy holy tem-  
ple.

3 O pluck me not away,  
neither destroy me with the  
ungodly and wicked doers ;  
which speak friendly to  
their neighbours, but ima-  
gine mischief in their hearts.

4 Reward them accord-  
ing to their deeds ; and ac-  
cording to the wickedness  
of their own inventions.

5 Recompense them af-  
ter the work of their hands ;  
pay them that they have  
deserved.

6 For they regard not in  
their mind the works of the  
Lord, nor the operation of  
his hands ; therefore shall  
he break them down, and  
not build them up.

7 Praised be the Lord :  
for

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for he hath heard the voice  
of my humble petitions.

8 The Lord is my  
strength, and my shield,  
my heart hath trusted in  
him, and I am helped :  
therefore my heart danceth  
for joy : and in my song  
will I praise him.

9 The Lord is my strength :  
and he is the wholesom de-  
fence of his Anointed.

10 O save thy people, and  
give thy blessing unto thine  
inheritance : feed them and  
set them up for ever.

*Psaln 29.*

**B**RING unto the Lord  
O ye mighty, bring  
young rams unto the Lord :  
ascribe unto the Lord wor-  
ship and strength.

2 Give the Lord the  
honour due unto his name :  
worship the Lord with holy  
worship.

3 It is the Lord that  
commandeth the waters : it  
is the glorious God that  
maketh the thunder.

4 It is the Lord that rul-  
eth the sea ; the voice of  
the Lord is mighty in ope-  
ration : the voice of the  
Lord is a glorious voice.

5 The voice of the Lord  
breaketh the cedar trees :  
Yea, the Lord breaketh the  
cedars of Libanus.

6 He maketh them also  
to skip like a calf : Libanus  
also, & Syrion, like a young  
unicorn.

7 The voice of the Lord  
divideth the flames of fire,  
the voice of the Lord shak-  
eth the wilderness : Yea, the  
Lord shaketh the wilderness  
of Cades.

8 The voice of the Lord  
maketh the hinds to bring  
forth young, and discover-  
eth the thick bushes : in his  
temple doth every man speak  
of his honour.

9 The Lord sitteth above  
the water-flood . and the  
Lord remaineth a King for  
ever.

10 The Lord shall give  
strength unto his people :  
the Lord shall give his peo-  
ple the blessing of peace.

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*Psaln 30.*

**I** Will magnify thee, O  
Lord, for thou hast set  
me up : and not made my  
foes to triumph over me.

2 O Lord my God, I

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cried unto thee: and thou have mercy upon me :  
hast healed me. Lord, be thou my helper.

3 Thou, Lord, hast brought my soul out of heaviness into joy : thou  
hell : thou hast kept my life hast put off my sackcloth,  
from them that go down to and girded me with glad-  
the pit. ness.

4 Sing praises unto the Lord, O ye saints of his :  
and give thanks unto him without ceasing : O my  
for a remembrance of his God, I will give thanks  
holiness. unto thee for ever.

5 For his wrath endureth  
but the twinkling of an eye,  
and in his pleasure is life :  
heaviness may endure for a  
night, but joy cometh in  
the morning.

6 And in my prosperity  
I said, I shall never be re-  
moved : thou, Lord, of thy  
goodness hast made my hill  
to strong.

7 Thou didst turn thy  
face from me : and I was  
troubled.

8 Then cried I unto  
thee, O Lord : and gat me  
to my Lord right humbly.

9 What profit is there in  
my blood : when I go down  
to the pit ?

10 Shall the dust give  
thanks unto thee : or shall  
it declare thy truth ?

11 Hear, O Lord, and

12 Therefore shall every  
good man sing of thy praise  
without ceasing : O my  
God, I will give thanks  
unto thee for ever.

*Psalme 31.*

**I**N thee, O Lord, have I  
put my trust ; let me  
never be put to confusion,  
deliver me in thy righte-  
ousness.

2 Bow down thine ear  
to me : make haste to deli-  
ver me.

3 And be thou my strong  
rock, and house of defence :  
that thou mayest save me.

4 For thou art my strong  
rock and my castle : be thou  
also my guide, and lead me  
for thy Name's sake.

5 Draw me out of the  
net that they have laid pri-  
vily for me ; for thou art  
my strength.

6 Into thy hands I com-  
mend my spirit ; for thou  
hast redeemed me, O Lord,  
thou God of truth.

7 I have hated them that hold of superstitious vanities ; and my trust hath been in the Lord.

8 I will be glad and rejoice in thy mercy ; for thou hast considered my trouble, and hast known my soul in adversities.

9 Thou hast not shut me up into the hand of the enemy ; but hast set my feet in a large room.

10 Have mercy upon me, O Lord, for I am in trouble ; and mine eye is consumed for very heaviness ; yea my soul and my body.

11 For my life is waxed old with heaviness ; and my years with mourning.

12 My strength faileth me because of mine iniquity : and my bones are consumed.

13 I became a reproof among all mine enemies, but especially among my neighbours : and they of mine acquaintance were afraid of me, and they that did see me without, conveyed themselves from me.

14 I am clean forgotten as a dead man out of mind : I am become like a broken vessel.

15 For I have heard the blasphemy of the multitude : and fear is on every side, while they conspire together against me, and take their counsel to take away my life.

16 But my hope hath been in thee, O Lord : I have said, Thou art my God.

17 My time is in thy hand, deliver me from the hand of mine enemies : and from them that persecute me.

18 Shew thy servant the light of thy countenance : and save me for thy mercies sake.

19 Let me not be confounded, O Lord, for I have called upon thee : let the ungodly be put to confusion, and be put to silence in the grave.

20 Let the lying lips be put to silence : which cruelly, disdainfully, and despitefully speak against the righteous,

21 O how plentiful is thy goodness which thou hast laid up for them that fear thee : and that thou hast prepared for them that put their trust in thee,



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thee, even before the sons of men !

22 Thou shalt hide them privily by thine own presence from the provoking of all men : thou shalt keep them secretly in thy tabernacle from the strife of tongues.

23 Thanks be to the Lord : for he hath shewed me marvellous great kindness in a strong city.

24 And when I made haste, I said : I am cast out of the sight of thine eyes.

25 Nevertheless, thou heardest the voice of my prayer : when I cried unto thee.

26 O love the Lord, all ye his saints : for the Lord preserveth them that are faithful, and plenteously rewardeth the proud doer.

27 Be strong, and he shall establish your heart : all ye that put your trust in the Lord.

*Evening Prayer.*

*Psalm 32.*

**B**lessed is he whose unrighteousness is forgiven : and whose sin is covered.

2 Blessed is the man unto whom the Lord imputeth no sin : and in whose spirit there is no guile.

3 For while I held my tongue : my bones consumed away through my daily complaining.

4 For thy hand is heavy upon me day and night : and my moisture is like the drought in summer.

5 I will acknowledge my sin unto thee : and mine unrighteousness have I not hid.

6 I said I will confess my sins unto the Lord : and so thou forgavest the wickedness of my sin.

7 For this shall every one that is godly make his prayer unto thee in a time when thou mayest be found : but in the great water-floods they shall not come nigh him.

8 Thou art a place to hide me in, thou shalt preserve me from trouble : thou shalt compass me about with songs of deliverance.

9 I will inform thee, and teach thee in the way wherein thou shalt go : and  
I will

I will guide thee with nefs of the Lord  
mine eye.

10 Be ye not like to  
horse and mule, which have  
no understanding: whose  
mouths must be held with  
bit and bridle, lest they fall  
upon thee.

11 Great plagues remain  
for the ungodly: but who-  
so putteth his trust in the  
Lord, mercy embraceth him  
on every side.

12 Beglad, O ye righteous,  
and reioice in the Lord:  
and be joyful all ye that are  
true of heart.

*Psalme 33.*

**R**Eioice in the Lord, O  
ye righteous: for it  
becometh well the just to  
be thankful.

2 Praise the Lord with  
harp: sing praises unto him  
with the lute, and instru-  
ment of ten strings.

3 Sing unto the Lord a  
new song: sing praises  
lustily unto him with a good  
courage.

4 For the word of the  
Lord is true: and all his  
works are faithful.

5 He loveth righteous-  
ness and judgment: the  
earth is full of the good-

6 By the word of the  
Lord were the heavens  
made: and all the host of  
them by the breath of his  
mouth.

7 He gathereth the wa-  
ters of the sea together, as  
it were upon an heap: and  
layeth up the deep as in a  
treasure-house.

8 Let all the earth fear  
the Lord: stand in awe of  
him, all ye that dwell in  
the world;

9 For he spake, and it  
was done: he commanded,  
and it stood fast.

10 The Lord bringeth the  
counsel of the heathen to  
nought: and maketh the  
devices of the people to be  
of none effect, and casteth  
out the counsels of princes.

11 The counsel of the  
Lord shall endure for ever:  
and the thoughts of his  
heart from generation to  
generation.

12 Blessed are the people  
whose God is the Lord Je-  
hovah: and blessed are the  
folk that he hath chosen to  
him to be his inheritance.

13 The Lord looked down  
from heaven, and beheld all  
the

the children of men : from the habitation of his dwelling he considereth all them that dwell on the earth.

14 He fashioneth all the hearts of them : and understandeth all their works.

15 There is no king that can be saved by the multitude of an host : neither is any mighty man delivered by much strength.

16 A horse is counted but a vain thing to save a man : neither shall he deliver any man by his great strength.

17 Behold, the eye of the Lord is upon them that fear him : and upon them that put their trust in his mercy.

18 To deliver their soul from death : and to feed them in the time of dearth.

19 Our soul hath patiently tarried for the Lord : for he is our help and our shield.

20 For our heart shall rejoice in him : because we have hoped in his holy Name.

21 Let thy merciful kindness, O Lord, be upon us : like as we do put our trust in thee.

*Psalm 34.*

**I** Will always give thanks unto the Lord : his praise shall ever be in my mouth.

2 My soul shall make her boast in the Lord : the humble shall hear thereof, and be glad.

3 O praise the Lord with me : and let us magnify his Name together.

4 I sought the Lord, and he heard me : yea, he delivered me out of all my fear.

5 They had an eye unto him and were lightened : and their faces were not ashamed.

6 Lo, the poor crieth, and the Lord heareth him : yea, and saveth him out of all his troubles.

7 The angel of the Lord tarrieth round about them that fear him : and delivereth them.

8 O taste, and see, how gracious the Lord is : blessed is the man that trusteth in him.

9 O fear the Lord, ye that are his saints : for they that fear him lack nothing.

10 The lions do lack and suffer hunger : but they who seek the Lord, shall want no manner of thing that is good.

11 Come, ye children, and hearken unto me : I will

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will teach you the fear of the Lord.

12 What man is he that lusteth to live: and would fain see good days?

13 Keep thy tongue from evil: and thy lips that they speak no guile.

14 Eschew evil, and do good: seek peace and, en- sue it.

15 The eyes of the Lord are over the righteous: and his ears are open unto their prayers.

16 The countenance of the Lord is against them that do evil: to root out the remembrance of them from the earth.

17 The righteous cry, and the Lord heareth them: and delivereth them out of all their troubles.

18 The Lord is nigh unto them that are of a contrite heart: and will save such as be of an humble spirit.

19 Great are the troubles of the righteous: but the Lord delivereth them out of all.

20 He keepeth all his bones: so that not one of them is broken.

21 But misfortune shall

slay the ungodly: and they that hate the righteous, shall be desolate.

22 The Lord delivereth the soul of his servants: and all they that put their trust in him shall not be destitute.

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*Psalme 35.*

**P**Lead thou my cause, O Lord, with them that strive with me, and fight thou against them that fight against me.

2 Lay hand upon the shield and buckler: and stand up to help me.

3 Bring forth the spear, and stop the way against them that persecute me: say unto my soul, I am thy salvation.

4 Let them be confounded and put to shame that seek after my soul: let them be turned back and brought to confusion, that imagine mischief for me.

5 Let them be as the dust before the wind: and the angel of the Lord scattering them.

6 Let their way be dark and slippery: and let the angel



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angel of the Lord persecute them. though it had been my friend, or my brother : I

7 For they have privily laid their net to destroy me without a cause : yea, even without a cause they have made a pit for my soul. went heavily as one that mourneth for his mother.

8 Let a sudden destruction come upon him unawares, and his net that he hath laid privily catch himself : that he may fall into his own mischief. 15 But in mine adversity they rejoiced, and gathered themselves together : yea, the very abjects came together against me unawares, making mouths at me, and ceased not.

9 And my soul, be joyful in the Lord : it shall rejoice in his salvation. 16 With the flatterers were busy mockers : who gnashed upon me with their teeth.

10 All my bones shall say, Lord, who is like unto thee, who deliverest the poor from him that is too strong for him : yea, the poor, and him that is in misery, from him that spoileth him ? 17 Lord, how long wilt thou look upon this : O deliver my soul from the calamities which they bring on me, and my darling from the lions.

11 False witnesses did rise up : they laid to my charge things that I knew not. 18 So will I give thee thanks in the great congregation : I will praise thee among much people.

12 They rewarded me evil for good : to the great discomfort of my soul. 19 O let not them that are mine enemies triumph over me ungodly : neither let them wink with their eyes that hate me without a cause.

13 Nevertheless, when they were sick I put on sackcloth, and humbled my soul with fasting : and my prayer shall turn into mine own bosom. 20 And why ? their communing is not for peace : but they imagine deceitful words against them that are quiet in the land.

14 I behaved myself as

21 They

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21 They gaped upon me it shall be talking of thy righteousness: and of thy praise with their mouths; and said: Fie on thee, fie on thee, we all the day long. saw it with our eyes.

22 This thou hast seen, O Lord: hold not thy tongue then, go not far from me, O Lord.

23 Awake, and stand up to judge my quarrel: avenge thou my cause, my God and my Lord.

24 Judge me, O Lord my God, according to thy righteousness: and let them not triumph over me.

25 Let them not say in their hearts, There, there, so would we have it: neither let them say, We have devoured him.

26 Let them be put to confusion and shame together that rejoice at my trouble: let them be clothed with rebuke and dishonour, that boast themselves against me,

27 Let them be glad and rejoice, that favour my righteous dealing: yea, let them say alway, Blessed be the Lord, who hath pleasure in the prosperity of his servant.

28 And as for my tongue,

*Psalms 36.*

**M**Y heart sheweth me the wickedness of the ungodly: that there is no fear of God before his eyes.

2 For he flattereth himself in his own sight: until his abominable sin be found out.

3 The words of his mouth are unrighteous, and full of deceit: he hath left off to behave himself wisely, and to do good.

4 He imagineth mischief upon his bed, and hath set himself in no good way: neither doth he abhor any thing that is evil,

5 Thy mercy, O Lord, reacheth unto the heavens: and thy faithfulness unto the clouds.

6 Thy righteousness standeth like the strong mountains: thy judgments are like the great deep.

7 Thou, Lord, shalt save both man and beast. How excellent is thy mercy, O God: and the children of men shall put their trust under

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under the shadow of thy wings. good : dwell in the land, and verily thou shalt be fed.

8 They shall be satisfied with the plenteousness of thy house : and thou shalt give them drink of thy pleasures, as out of a river. 4 Delight thou in the Lord : and he shall give thee thy heart's desire.

9 For with thee is the well of life : and in thy light shall we see light. 5 Commit thy way unto the Lord, and put thy trust in him : and he shall bring it to pass.

10 O continue forth thy loving-kindness unto them that know thee : and thy righteousness unto them that are true of heart. 6 He shall make thy righteousness as clear as the light : and thy just dealing as the noon day.

11 O let not the foot of pride come against me : and let not the hand of the ungodly cast me down. 7 Hold thee still in the Lord, and abide patiently upon him : but grieve not thy self at him whose way doth prosper, against the man that doth after evil counsels.

12 There are they fallen, all that work wickedness : they are cast down, and shall not be able to stand. 8 Leave off from wrath, and let go displeasure : fret not thy self else shalt thou be moved to do evil.

*Evening Prayer.*

*Psalme 37.*

**F**Ret not thy self because of the ungodly : neither be thou envious against the evil-doers.

2 For they shall soon be cut down like the grass : and be withered even as the green herb.

3 Put thou thy trust in the Lord, and be doing

9 Wicked doers shall be rooted out : and they that patiently abide the Lord, those shall inherit the land.

10 Yet a little while, and the ungodly shall be clean gone : thou shalt look after his place, and he shall be away.

11 But the meek spirited shall possess the earth : and shall be refreshed in the multitude

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multitude of peace.

12 The ungodly seeketh counsel against the just : and gnasheth upon him with his teeth.

13 The Lord shall laugh him to scorn : for he hath seen that his day is coming.

14 The ungodly have drawn out the sword, and have bent their bow : to cast down the poor and needy, and to slay such as are of a right conversation.

15 Their sword shall go through their own heart : and their bow shall be broken.

16 A small thing that the righteous hath : is better than great riches of the ungodly.

17 For the arms of the ungodly shall be broken : and the Lord upholdeth the righteous.

18 The Lord knoweth the days of the godly : and their inheritance shall endure for ever.

19 They shall not be confounded in the perilous time : and in the days of dearth they shall have enough.

20 As for the ungodly

they shall perish, and the enemies of the Lord shall consume as the fat of lambs : yea, even as the smoke shall they consume away.

21 The ungodly borroweth and payeth not again : but the righteous is merciful and liberal.

22 Such as are blessed of God shall possess the land : and they that are cursed of him, shall be rooted out.

23 The Lord ordereth a good man's going : and maketh his way acceptable to himself.

24 Though he fall, he shall not be cast away : for the Lord upholdeth him with his hand.

25 I have been young, and now am old : and yet saw I never the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging their bread.

26 The righteous is ever merciful and lendeth : and his seed is blessed.

27 Flee from evil, and do the thing that is good : and dwell for evermore.

28 For the Lord loveth the thing that is right : he forsaketh not his that be godly.



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godly, but they are preserved for ever.

29 The unrighteous shall be punished : as for the seed of the ungodly it shall be rooted out.

30 The righteous shall inherit the land : and dwell therein for ever.

31 The mouth of the righteous is exercised in wisdom : and his tongue will be talking of judgment.

32 The law of his God is in his heart : and his goings shall not slide.

33 The ungodly seeth the righteous : and seeketh occasion to slay him.

34 The Lord will not leave him in his hand : nor condemn him when he is judged.

35 Hope thou in the Lord, and keep his way, and he will promote thee, that thou shalt possess the land : when the ungodly shall perish, thou shalt see it.

36 I myself have seen the ungodly in great power : and flourishing like a green bay-tree.

37 I went by, and lo he was gone : I sought him, but his place could no where be found,

38 Keep innocency, and take heed unto the thing that is right : for that shall bring a man peace at the last.

39 As for the transgressors they shall perish together : and the end of the ungodly is, they shall be rooted out at the last.

40 But the salvation of the righteous cometh of the Lord : who is also their strength in the time of trouble.

41 And the Lord shall stand by them and save them : he shall deliver them from the ungodly, and shall save them, because they have put their trust in him.

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*Psalms 38.*

**P**UT me not to rebuke, O Lord, in thine anger, neither chasten me in thy heavy displeasure.

2 For thine arrows stick fast in me : and thy hand presseth me sore.

3 There is no health in my flesh because of thy displeasure : neither is there any rest in my bones by

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an reason of my sin.

hine 4 For my wickednesses  
shall be gone over my head :  
and they are like a fore burthen,  
too heavy for me to bear.

grief 5 My wounds stink, and  
my gear are corrupt : through my  
th foolishness.

b 6 I am brought into so  
great trouble and misery :  
that I go mourning all the  
day long.

thei 7 For my loins are filled  
with a fore disease : and  
there is no whole part in  
my body.

fav 8 I am feeble and fore  
forsmitted : I have roared for  
the very disquietness of my  
heart.

9 Lord, thou knowest all  
my desire : and my groaning  
is not hid from thee.

10 My heart panteth,  
my strength hath failed me :  
and the sight of mine eyes is  
gone from me.

thy 11 My lovers and my  
neighbours did stand look-  
ing upon my trouble : and  
my kinsmen stood afar off.

12 They also that sought  
to injure my life laid snares for  
me : and they that went  
about to do me evil, talked  
of my wickedness, and imagi-

reason

ed deceit all the day long.

13 As for me, I was like  
a deaf man, and heard not  
and as one that is dumb,  
who doth not open his  
mouth.

14 I became even as a  
man that heareth not : and  
in whose mouth are no re-  
proofs.

15 For in thee, O Lord,  
have I put my trust : thou  
shalt answer for me, O Lord  
my God.

16 I have required that  
they, even mine enemies,  
should not triumph over  
me : for when my foot slipped,  
they rejoiced greatly against  
me.

17 And I truly am set  
in the plague : and my hea-  
venness is ever in my sight.

18 For I will confess my  
wickedness : and be sorry  
for my sin.

19 But mine enemies live,  
and are mighty . and they  
that hate me wrongfully, are  
many in number.

20 They also that reward  
evil for good, are against me :  
because I follow the thing  
that good is.

21 For sake me not, O  
Lord, my God : be not  
thou

thou far from me.

22 Haste thee to help me : O Lord God of my salvation.

*Psalm 39.*

**I** Said, I will take heed to my ways : that I offend not in my tongue.

2 I will keep my mouth as it were with a bridle : while the ungodly is in my sight.

3 I held my tongue, and spake nothing : I kept silence, yea, even from good words ; but it was pain and grief to me.

4 My heart was hot within me, and while I was thus musing, the fire kindled : and at the last I spake with my tongue.

5 Lord, let me know my end, and the number of my days : that I may be certified how long I have to live.

6 Behold, thou hast made my days as it were a span long : and mine age is even as nothing in respect of thee, and verily every man living is altogether vanity.

7 For man walketh in a

vain shadow and disquieteth himself in vain : he heapeth up riches, and cannot tell who shall gather them.

8 And now Lord what is my hope : truly my hope is even in thee.

9 Deliver me from all mine offences : and make me not a rebuke unto the foolish.

10 I became dumb, and opened not my mouth : for it was thy doing.

11 Take thy plague away from me ; I am even consumed by the means of thy heavy hand.

12 When thou with rebukes dost chasten man for his sin, thou makest his beauty to consume away, like as the were a moth fretting a garment ; every man therefore is but vanity.

13 Hear my prayer, O Lord, and with thine ears consider my calling ; hold not thy peace at my tears.

14 For I am a stranger and sojourner with thee, and as all my fathers were.

15 O spare me a little, that I may recover my strength before I go hence and be no more seen.

*Psalm 40.*

**I** Waited patiently for the Lord; and he inclined unto me, and heard my calling.

2 He brought me also out of the horrible pit; out of the mire and clay; and set my feet upon the rock, and ordered my goings.

3 And he hath put a new song in my mouth: even a thanksgiving unto our God.

4 Many shall see it, and fear: and shall put their trust in the Lord.

5 Blessed is the man that hath set his hope in the Lord: and turned not unto the proud, and to such as go about with lies.

6 O Lord my God, great are the wondrous works which thou hast done, like as be also thy thoughts, which are to us-ward: and yet there is no man that ordereth them unto thee.

7 If I should declare them, and speak of them: they should be more than I am able to express.

8 Sacrifice and meat-offering thou wouldest not: but mine ears hast thou opened.

9 Burnt-offerings and sacrifice for sin hast thou not required: then said I, Lo, I come.

10 In the volume of the book it is written of me, that I should fulfil thy will, O my God: I am content to do it, yea, thy law is within my heart.

11 I have declared thy righteousness in the great congregation: Lo, I will not refrain my lips, O Lord, and that thou knowest.

12 I have not hid thy righteousness within my heart: my talk hath been of thy truth, and of thy salvation.

13 I have not kept back thy loving mercy and truth: from the great congregation.

14 Withdraw not thou thy mercy from me, O Lord: let thy loving-kindness and thy truth always preserve me.

15 For innumerable troubles are come about me, my sins have taken such hold upon me, that I am not able to look up: Yea, they are more in number than the hairs of my head, and my heart



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heart hath failed me.

16 O Lord, let it be thy pleasure to deliver me : make haste, O Lord, to help me.

17 Let them be ashamed and confounded together, that seek after my soul to destroy it : let them be driven backward, and put to rebuke, that wish me evil.

18 Let them be desolate and rewarded with shame : that say unto me, Fie upon thee, fie upon thee.

19 Let all those that seek thee, be joyful and glad in thee : and let such as love thy salvation, say alway, The Lord be praised.

20 As for me, I am poor and needy : but the Lord careth for me.

21 Thou art my helper and redeemer : make no long tarrying, O my God.

*Evening Prayer.*

*Psalme 41.*

**B**lessed is he that considereth the poor and needy : the Lord shall deliver him in the time of trouble.

2 The Lord preserve him and keep him alive, that he

may be blessed upon earth and deliver not thou him in to the will of his enemies.

3 The Lord comfort him when he lieth sick upon his bed : make thou all his bed in his sickness.

4 I said, Lord, be merciful unto me : heal my soul for I have sinned against thee.

5 Mine enemies speak evil of me : When shall he die, and his name perish ?

6 And if he come to see me, he speaketh vanity : his heart conceiveth falsehood within himself, and when he cometh forth he telleth it.

7 All mine enemies whisper together against me : even against me do they imagine this evil.

8 Let the sentence of guiltiness proceed against him : and now that he lieth let him rise up no more.

9 Yea, even mine own familiar friend, whom I trusted : who did also eat my bread, hath laid greedily wait for me.

10 But be thou merciful unto me, O Lord : raise thou me up again, and

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shall reward them.

11 By this I know thou favourest me : that mine enemy doth not triumph against me.

12 And when I am in my health, thou upholdest me : and shalt set me before thy face for ever.

13 Blessed be the Lord God of Israel : world without end. *Amen.*

*Psaln 42.*

**L**IKE as the hart desireth the water-brooks : so longeth my soul after thee, O God.

2 My soul is athirst for God, yea even for the living God : when shall I come to appear before the presence of God ?

3 My tears have been my meat day and night : while they daily say unto me, Where is now thy God ?

4 Now, when I think thereupon, I pour out my heart by my self : for I went with the multitude, and brought them forth into the house of God ;

5 In the voice of praise and thanksgiving : among such as keep holy-day.

6 Why art thou so full of heaviness, O my soul : and why art thou so disquieted within me ?

7 Put thy trust in God : for I will yet give him thanks for the help of his countenance.

8 My God, my soul is vexed within me : therefore will I remember thee concerning the land of Jordan, and the little hill of Hermon.

9 One deep calleth another, because of the noise of the water-pipes : all thy waves and storms are gone over me.

10 The Lord hath granted his loving-kindness in the day time : and in the night season did I sing of him, and made my prayer unto the God of my life.

11 I will say unto the God of my strength, Why hast thou forgotten me : why go I thus heavily, while the enemy oppresseth me ?

12 My bones are smitten asunder as with a sword : while mine enemies that trouble me cast me in the teeth ;

13 Namely, while they say daily unto me : Where

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is now thy God?

14 Why art thou so vex-  
ed, O my soul : and why  
art thou so disquieted with-  
in me ?

15 O put thy trust in  
God : for I will yet thank  
him, which is the help of  
my countenance, and my  
God.

thou so disquieted within  
me?

6 O put thy trust in God :  
for I will yet give him  
thanks, which is the help  
of my countenance, and  
my God.

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*Psaln 43.*



**G**IVE sentence with me,  
O God, and defend  
my cause against the un-  
godly people : O deliver  
me from the deceitful and  
wicked man.

2 For thou art the God  
of my strength : why hast  
thou put me from thee, and  
why go I so heavily, while  
the enemy oppresseth me ?

3 O send out thy light  
and thy truth, that they  
may lead me : and bring  
me unto thy holy hill, and  
to thy dwelling.

4 And that I may go  
unto the altar of God, even  
unto the God of my joy  
and gladness : and upon the  
harp will I give thanks unto  
thee, O God my God.

5 Why art thou so heavy,  
O my soul : and why art

**W**E have heard with  
our ears, O God,  
our fathers have told us :  
what thou hast done in  
their time of old.

2 How thou hast driven  
out the heathen with thy  
hand and planted them in :  
how thou hast destroyed the  
nations and cast them out.

3 For they gat not the  
land in possession thro' their  
own sword : neither was it  
their own arm that helped  
them.

4 But thy right hand  
and thine arm, and the  
light of thy countenance  
because thou hadst a favour  
unto them.

5 Thou art my King, O  
God : send help unto Jacob

6 Through thee will we  
overthrow our enemies  
and in thy name will we  
treat

in tread them under that rise  
up against us.

d: 7 For I will not trust in  
im my bow: it is not my sword  
elp that shall help me.

nd 8 But it is thou that sav-  
est us from our enemies:  
and puttest them to confu-  
sion that hate us.

9 We make our boast of  
God all day long: and will  
praise thy name for ever.

with 10 But now thou art far  
od, off, and puttest us to con-  
us: fusion: and goest not forth  
in with our armies.

ven 11 Thou makest us to  
thy turn our backs upon our e-  
in: nemies: so that they which  
the hate us spoil our goods.

nt. 12 Thou lettest us be  
the eaten up like sheep; and  
their hast scattered us among the  
as i heathen.

elped 13 Thou sellest thy peo-  
ple for nought; and takest  
no money for them.

hand- 14 Thou makest us to be  
the rebuked of our neighbours;  
nce to be laughed to scorn, and  
avou had in derision of them that  
are round about us.

g, C 15 Thou makest us to  
acob be a by-word among the  
ill w heathen; and that the peo-  
mies ple shake their heads at us,

16 My confusion is daily  
before me; and the shame of  
my face hath covered me.

17 For the voice of the  
slanderer and blasphemer;  
for the enemy and avenger.

18 And though all this  
be come upon us, yet do  
we not forget thee; nor be-  
have ourselves frowardly in  
thy covenant.

19 Our heart is not turn-  
ed back; neither our steps  
gone out of thy way;

20 No, not when thou  
hast smitten us into the  
place of dragons; and co-  
vered us with the shadow  
of death.

21 If we have forgotten  
the Name of our God, and  
holden up our hands to any  
strange god; shall not God  
search it out? for he know-  
eth the very secrets of the  
heart.

22 For thy sake also are  
we killed all the day long;  
and are accounted as sheep  
appointed to be slain.

23 Up, Lord, why sleepest  
thou; awake, and be not  
absent from us for ever.

24 Wherefore hidest thou  
thy face; and forgettest our  
misery and trouble?



25 For our soul is brought  
low, even unto the dust :  
our belly cleaveth unto the  
ground.

26 Arise, and help us :  
and deliver us for thy mer-  
cies sake.

*Psalme 45.*

**M**Y heart is inditing of  
a good matter : I speak  
of the things which I have  
made unto the king.

2 My tongue is the pen  
of a ready writer.

3 Thou art fairer than  
the children of men : full  
of grace are thy lips, be-  
cause God hath blessed thee  
for ever.

4 Gird thee with thy sword  
upon thy thigh, O thou most  
mighty : according to thy  
worship and renown.

5 Good luck have thou  
with thine honour : ride on,  
because of the word of truth,  
of meekness and righteous-  
ness, and thy right hand shall  
teach thee terrible things.

6 Thy arrows are very  
sharp, and the people shall  
be subdued unto thee : even  
in the midst among the  
king's enemies.

7 Thy seat, O Lord, en-  
dureth for ever : the sceptre  
of thy kingdom is a right  
sceptre.

8 Thou hast loved right-  
eousness, and hated iniqui-  
ty : wherefore God, even  
thy God, hath anointed thee  
with the oil of gladness a-  
bove thy fellows.

9 All thy garments smell  
of myrrh, aloes, and cassia :  
out of the ivory palaces,  
whereby they have made  
thee glad.

10 Kings daughters were  
among thy honourable wo-  
men : upon thy right hand  
did stand the queen in a ves-  
ture of gold, wrought about  
with divers colours.

11 Hearken, O daughter,  
and consider, incline thine  
ear : forget also thine own  
people, and thy father's  
house.

12 So shall the king have  
pleasure in thy beauty : for  
he is thy Lord God, and  
worship thou him.

13 And the daughter of  
Tyre shall be there with  
a gift : like as the rich also  
among the people shall  
make their supplication be-  
fore thee.

14 The king's daughter is all glorious within : her cloathing is of wrought gold.

15 She shall be brought unto the king in raiment of needle-work ; the virgins that be her fellows shall bear her company, and shall be brought unto thee.

16 With joy and gladness shall they be brought : and shall enter into the king's palace.

17 Instead of thy fathers thou shalt have children : whom thou mayest make princes in all lands.

18 I will remember thy name from one generation to another : therefore shall the people give thanks unto thee, world without end.

*Psalms 46.*

**G**OD is our hope and strength : a very present help in trouble.

2 Therefore will we not fear, though the earth be moved : and though the hills be carried into the midst of the sea.

3 Though the waters thereof rage and swell : and though the mountains shake

at the tempest of the same.

4 The rivers of the flood therefore shall make glad the city of God : the holy place of the tabernacle of the most Highest.

5 God is in the midst of her, therefore shall she not be removed : God shall help her, and that right early.

6 The heathen make much ado, and the kingdoms are moved : but God hath shewed his voice, and the earth shall melt away.

7 The Lord of hosts is with us : the God of Jacob is our refuge.

8 O come hither, and behold the works of the Lord : what destruction he hath brought upon the earth.

9 He maketh wars to cease in all the world : he breaketh the bow, and snappeth the spear in funder, and burneth the chariots in the fire.

10 Be still then, and know that I am God : I will be exalted among the heathen, and I will be exalted in the earth.

11 The Lord of hosts is with us : the God of Jacob is our refuge.

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*Psalme 47.*

**O** Clap your hands together, all ye people : O sing unto God with the voice of melody.

2 For the Lord is high, and to be feared : he is the great King upon all the earth.

3 He shall subdue the people under us : and the nations under our feet.

4 He shall choole out an heritage for us : even the worship of Jacob whom he loved.

5 God is gone up with a merry noise : and the Lord with the sound of the trump.

6 O sing praises, sing praises, unto our God : O sing praises, sing praises unto our King.

7 For God is the King of all the earth : sing ye praises with understanding.

8 God reigneth over the heathen : God sitteth upon his holy seat.

9 The princes of the people are joined unto the people of the God of Abraham : for God which is very high exalted, doth de-

send the earth as it were with a shield.

*Psalme 48.*

**G**reat is the Lord, and highly to be praised : in the city of our God, even upon his holy hill.

2 The hill of Sion is a fair place, and the joy of the whole earth : upon the north side lieth the city of the great King ; God is well known in her palaces as a sure refuge.

3 For lo, the kings of the earth are gathered : and gone by together.

4 They marvelled to see such things : they were astonished, and suddenly cast down.

5 Fear came there upon them in sorrow : as upon a woman in her travail.

6 Thou shalt break the ships of the sea ; through the east-wind.

7 Like as we have heard, so have we seen in the city of the Lord of hosts ; in the city of our God : God upholdeth the same for ever.

8 We wait for thy loving-kindness, O God : in the midst of thy temple.

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9 O God, according to thy name, so is thy praise unto the world's end : thy right hand is full of righteousness.

10 Let the mount Sion rejoice, and the daughter of Judah be glad ; because of thy judgments.

11 Walk about Sion, and go round about her ; and tell the towers thereof.

12 Mark well her bulwarks, set up her houses : that ye may tell them that come after.

13 For this God is our God for ever and ever : he shall be our guide unto death.

*Psaln 49.*

**O** Hear ye this all ye people : ponder it with your ears all you that dwell in the world.

2 High and low, rich and poor : one with another.

3 My mouth shall speak of wisdom : and my heart shall muse of understanding.

4 I will incline mine ear to the parable : and shew my dark speech upon the harp.

5 Wherefore should I fear in the days of wickedness ; and when the wick-

edness of my heels compasseth me round about.

6 There be some that put their trust in their goods ; and boast themselves in the multitude of their riches.

7 But no man may deliver his brother : nor make agreement unto God for him ;

8 For it cost more to redeem their souls : so that he must let that alone for ever.

9 Yea, tho' he live long ; and see not the grave.

10 For he seeth that wise men also die, and perish together : as well as the ignorant and foolish, and leave their riches for others.

11 And yet they think that their houses shall continue for ever : and that their dwelling places shall endure from one generation to another, and call their lands after their own names.

12 Nevertheless, man will not abide in honour : seeing he may be compared, unto the beasts that perish, this is the way of them.

13 This is their foolishness : and their posterity praise their saying.

14 They lie in the hell like



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sheep, death gnaweth upon them, and the righteous shall have dominion over them in the morning : their beauty shall consume in the sepulchre out of their dwelling

15 But God hath delivered my soul from the place of hell : for he shall receive me.

16 Be not thou afraid though one be made rich : or if the glory of his house be increased ;

17 For he shall carry nothing away with him when he dieth : neither shall his pomp follow him.

18 For while he lived he counted himself an happy man : and so long as thou dost well unto thyself, men will speak good of thee.

19 He shall follow the generation of his fathers : and shall never see light.

20 Man being in honour hath no understanding : but is compared unto the beasts that perish.

*Morning Prayer.*

*Psalms 50.*

**T**HE Lord, even the most mighty God hath spoken : and called the world

from the rising up of the sun, unto the going down thereof.

2 Out of Sion hath God appeared : in perfect beauty.

3 Our God shall come, and shall not keep silence : there shall go before him a consuming fire, and a mighty tempest shall be stirred up round about him.

4 He shall call the heaven from above : and the earth, that he may judge his people.

5 Gather my saints together unto me : those that have made a covenant with me with sacrifice.

6 And the heavens shall declare his righteousness : for God is judge himself.

7 Hear, O my people, and I will speak : I myself will testify against thee, O Israel ; for I am God, even thy God.

8 I will not reprove thee because of thy sacrifices, or for thy burnt-offerings : because they are not always before me.

9 I will take no bullock out of thine house, nor he-goat out of thy folds.

10 For all the beasts of the forest are mine ; and so are

are the cattle upon a thousand hills.

11 I know all the fowls upon the mountains : and the wild beasts of the field are in my sight.

12 If I be hungry, I will not tell thee : for the whole world is mine, and all that is therein.

13 Thinkest thou that I will eat bulls flesh : and drink the blood of goats ?

14 Offer unto God thanksgiving : and pay thy vows unto the most Highest.

15 And call upon me in the time of trouble : so will I hear thee, and thou shalt praise me.

16 But unto the ungodly, saith God : Why dost thou preach my laws, and takest my covenant in thy mouth ?

17 Whereas thou hatest to be reformed : and hast cast my words behind thee.

18 When thou sawest a thief, thou consentedst unto him : and hast been partaker with the adulterers.

19 Thou hast let thy mouth speak wickedness : and with thy tongue thou hast set forth deceit.

20 Thou fastest and speak-

est against thy brother : yea, and hast slandered thine own mother's son.

21 These things hast thou done, and I held my tongue, and thou thoughtest wickedly, that I am even such a one as thy self : but I will reprove thee, and set before thee the things that thou hast done.

22 O consider this, ye that forget God : lest I pluck you away, and there be none to deliver you.

23 Whoso offereth me thanks and praise, he honoureth me : and to him that ordereth his conversation right, will I shew the salvation of God.

*Psalms 51.*

**H**Ave mercy upon me, O God, after thy great goodness : according to the multitude of thy mercies do away mine offences.

2 Wash me thoroughly from my wickedness : and cleanse me from my sin.

3 For I acknowledge my faults : and my sin is ever before me.

4 Against thee only have I sinned, and done this evil

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in thy sight; that thou mightest be justified in thy saying, and clear when thou art judged.

5 Behold, I was shapen in wickedness: and in sin hath my mother conceived me.

6 But lo, thou requirest truth in the inward parts: and shalt make me to understand wisdom secretly.

7 Thou shalt purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean: thou shalt wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.

8 Thou shalt make me hear of joy and gladness: that the bones which thou hast broken may rejoice.

9 Turn thy face from my sins: and put out all my misdeeds.

10 Make me a clean heart, O God: and renew a right spirit within me.

11 Cast me not away from thy presence: and take not thy holy Spirit from me.

12 O give me the comfort of thy help again: and stablish me with thy free Spirit.

13 Then shall I teach thy ways unto the wicked; and sinners shall be con-

verted unto thee.

14 Deliver me from blood-guiltiness, O God, thou that art the God of my health: and my tongue shall sing of thy righteousness.

15 Thou shalt open my lips, O Lord: and my mouth shall shew thy praise.

16 For thou desirest no sacrifice, else would I give it thee but thou delightest not in burnt-offerings.

17 The sacrifice of God is a troubled spirit: a broken and contrite heart, O God, thou shalt not despise.

18 O be favourable and gracious unto Sion: build thou the walls of Jerusalem.

19 Then shalt thou be pleased with the sacrifice of righteousness, with the burnt-offerings & oblations: then shall they offer young bullocks upon thine altar.

*Psalms 52.*

**W**HY boastest thou thyself, thou tyrant: that thou canst do mischief.

2 Whereas the goodness of God: endureth yet daily?

3 Thy tongue imagineth wicked-

wickedness : and with lies thou cuttest like a sharp razor.

4 Thou hast loved unrighteousness more than goodness : and to talk of lies more than righteousness.

5 Thou hast loved to speak all words that may do hurt : O thou false tongue.

6 Therefore shall God destroy thee for ever : he shall take thee, and pluck thee out of thy dwelling, and root thee out of the land of the living.

7 The righteous also shall see this, and fear : and shall laugh him to scorn.

8 Lo, this is the man that took not God for his strength ; but trusted unto the multitude of his riches, and strengthened himself in his wickedness.

9 As for me, I am like a green olive-tree in the house of God ; my trust is in the tender mercy of God for ever and ever.

10 I will always give thanks unto thee for that thou hast done : and I will hope in thy name, for thy saints like it well.

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*Psalms 53.*

THE foolish body hath said in his heart : There is no God.

2 Corrupt are they, and become abominable in their wickedness : there is none that doth good.

3 God looked down from heaven upon the children of men : to see if there were any that would understand, and seek after God.

4 But they are all gone out of the way, they are altogether become abominable ; there is also none that doth good, no not one.

5 Are they not without understanding, that work wickedness : eating up my people as if they would eat bread ? they have not called upon God.

6 They were afraid where no fear was : for God hath broken the bones of him that besieged thee ; thou hast put them to confusion, because God hath despised them.

7 O that the salvation were given unto Israel out



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of Sion : Oh that the Lord  
would deliver his people out  
of captivity !

8 Then should Jacob re-  
joice ; and Israel should be  
right glad.

*Psaln 54.*

**S**AVE me, O God, for  
thy name's sake : and  
avenge me in thy strength.

2 Hear my prayer, O  
God : and hearken unto the  
words of my mouth.

3 For strangers are risen  
up against me : and tyrants  
which have not God before  
their eyes, seek after my soul.

4 Behold, God is my  
helper : the Lord is with  
them that uphold my soul.

5 He shall reward evil  
unto mine enemies : destroy  
thou them in thy truth.

6 An offering of a free  
heart will I give thee, and  
praise thy name, O Lord :  
because it is so comfortable.

7 For he hath delivered  
me out of all my trouble :  
and mine eye hath seen his  
desire upon mine enemies.

*Psaln 55.*

**H**EAR my prayer, O  
God : and hide not  
thy self from my petition.

2 Take heed unto me,  
and hear me : how I mourn  
in my prayer, and am  
vexed.

3 The enemy cried so,  
and the ungodly cometh on  
so fast : for they are minded  
to do me some mischief, so  
maliciously are they set a-  
gainst me.

4 My heart is disquieted  
within me : and the fear of  
death is fallen upon me.

5 Fearfulness and trem-  
bling are come upon me :  
and horrible dread hath  
overwhelmed me.

6 And I said, Oh that I  
had wings like a dove : for  
then would I flee away, and  
be at rest.

7 Lo, then would I get  
me away far off : and re-  
main in the wilderness.

8 I would make haste to  
escape because of the stormy  
wind and tempest.

9 Destroy their tongues,  
O Lord, and divide them :  
for I have spied unrighteous-  
ness and strife in the city.

10 Day and night they  
go about within the walls  
thereof : mischief also and  
sorrow are in the midst of it.

11 Wickedness is therein :  
deceit

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deceit and guile go not out of their streets.

12 For it is not an open enemy that hath done me this dishonour : for then I could have born it.

13 Neither was it mine adversary that did magnify himself against me ; for then, peradventure I would have hid my self from him.

14 But it was even thou, my companion : my guide, & mine own familiar friend.

15 We took sweet counsell together : and walked in the house of God as friends.

16 Let death come hastily upon them, and let them go down quick into hell ; for wickedness is in their dwellings, and among them.

17 As for me, I will call upon God ; and the Lord shall save me.

18 In the evening and morning, and at noon day will I pray, and that instantly ; and he shall hear my voice.

19 It is he that hath delivered my soul in peace, from the battle that was against me ; for there were many with me.

20 Yea, even God that

endureth for ever shall hear me, and bring them down ; for they will not turn, nor fear God.

21 He laid his hands upon such as be at peace with him ; and he brake his covenant.

22 The words of his mouth were softer than butter, having war in his heart ; his words were smother than oil, and yet be they very swords.

23 O cast thy burden upon the Lord, and he shall nourish thee ; and shall not suffer the righteous to fall for ever.

24 And as for them ; thou, O God, shalt bring them into the pit of destruction.

25 The blood-thirsty and deceitful men shall not live out half their days ; nevertheless, my trust shall be in thee, O Lord.

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*Psalin 56.*

**B**E merciful unto me, O God, for man goeth about to devour me ; he is daily fighting and troubling me.

2 Mine enemies are daily in hand to swallow me up : for they be many that fight against me, O thou most Higheft.

3 Nevertheless, though I am some time afraid : yet put I my trust in thee.

4 I will praise God because of his word : I have put my trust in God, and will not fear what flesh can do unto me.

5 They daily mistake my words : all that they imagine is to do evil.

6 They hold altogether, and keep themselves close : and mark my steps, when they lay wait for my soul.

7 Shall they escape for their wickedness : thou, O God, in thy displeasure shalt cast them down.

8 Thou tellest my slights, put my tears into thy bottle : are not these things noted in thy book ?

9 Whensoever I call upon thee, then shall mine enemies be put to flight : this I know, for God is on my side.

10 In God's word will I rejoyce : in the Lord's word will I comfort me.

11 Yea, in God have I put my trust : I will not be afraid what man can do unto me.

12 Unto thee, O God, will I pay my vows : unto thee will I give thanks.

13 For thou hast delivered my soul from death, and my feet from falling : that I may walk before God in the light of the living.

*Pfalm 57.*

**B**E merciful unto me, O God, be merciful unto me, for my soul trusteth in thee : and under the shadow of thy wings shall be my refuge, until this tyranny be over past.

2 I will call unto the most high God : even unto the God that shall perform the cause which I have in hand.

3 He shall send from heaven : and save me from the reproof of him that would eat me up.

4 God shall send forth his mercy and truth : my soul is among lions.

5 And I lie even among the children of men that are

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set on fire : whose teeth are spears and arrows, and their tongue a sharp sword.

6 Set up thyself, O God, above the heavens : and thy glory above all the earth.

7 They have laid a net for my feet, and pressed down my soul : they have digged a pit before me, and are fallen into the midst of it themselves.

8 My heart is fixed, O God, my heart is fixed : I will sing and give praise.

9 Awake up my glory, awake lute and harp : I myself will awake right early.

10 I will give thanks unto thee, O Lord, among the people : and I will sing unto thee among the nations.

11 For the greatness of thy mercy reacheth unto the heavens : and thy truth unto the clouds.

12 Set up thyself, O God, above the heavens : and thy glory above all the earth.

*Psalms 58.*

**A**RE your minds set upon righteousness, O ye congregation : and do

ye judge the thing that is right, O ye sons of men ?

2 Yea, ye imagine mischief in your heart upon the earth ; and your hands deal with wickedness.

3 The ungodly are forward even from their mother's womb ; as soon as they are born they go astray and speak lies.

4 They are as venomous as the poison of a serpent ; even like the deaf adder, that stoppeth her ears ;

5 Which refuseth to hear the voice of the charmer ; charm he never so wisely.

6 Break their teeth, O God, in their mouths, smite the jaw-bones of the lions, O Lord ; let them fall away like water that runneth apace, and when they shoot their arrows, let them be rooted out.

7 Let them consume away like a snail, and be like the untimely fruit of a woman ; and let them not see the sun.

8 Or ever your pots be made hot with thorns ; so let indignation vex him, even



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even as a thing that is raw.

9 The righteous shall rejoice when he seeth the vengeance ; he shall wash his footsteps in the blood of the ungodly.

10 So that a man shall say, Verily there is a reward for the righteous ; doubtless there is a God that judgeth the earth.

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*Psaln 59.*

**D**eliver me from mine enemies, O God ; defend me from them that rise up against me.

2 O deliver me from the wicked doers ; and save me from the blood-thirsty men.

3 For lo, they lie waiting for my soul : the mighty men are gathered against me, without any offence or fault of me, O Lord.

4 They run and prepare themselves without any fault : arise thou therefore to help me, and behold.

5 Stand up, O Lord God of hosts, thou God of Israel, to visit all the heathen : and be not merciful unto them that offend of malicious wickedness.

6 They go to and fro in the evening ; they grin

like a dog, and run about through the city.

7 Behold, they speak with their mouths, and swords are in their lips ; for who doth hear ?

8 But thou, O Lord, shall have them in derision ; and thou shalt laugh all the heathen to scorn.

9 My strength will I ascribe unto thee ; for thou art the God of my refuge.

10 God sheweth me his goodness plenteously ; and God shall let me see my desire upon mine enemies.

11 Slay them not, lest my people forget it ; but scatter them abroad among the people, and put them down, O Lord, our defence.

12 For the sin of their mouth, and for the words of their lips, they shall be taken in their pride ; and why ? their preaching is of cursing and lies.

13 Consume them in thy wrath, consume them, that they may perish ; and know that it is God that ruleth in Jacob, and unto the ends of the world.

14 And in the evening they will return ; grin like a dog,

a dog, and will go about the city.

15 They will run here and there for meat; and grudge if they be not satisfied.

16 As for me, I will sing of thy power, and will praise thy mercy betimes in the morning; for thou hast been my defence and refuge, in the day of my trouble.

17 Unto thee, O my strength, will I sing: for thou, O God, art my refuge, and my merciful God.

*Psalms 60.*

**O** God thou hast cast us out, and scattered us abroad; thou hast also been displeased, O turn thee unto us again.

2 Thou hast moved the land, and divided it; heal the sores thereof, for it shaketh.

3 Thou hast shewed thy people heavy things; thou hast given us a drink of deadly wine.

4 Thou hast given a token to such as fear thee; that they may triumph because of the truth.

5 Therefore were thy beloved delivered; help me with thy right hand, and hear me.

6 God hath spoken in his holiness, I will rejoice and divide Sichem; and mete out the vally of Succoth.

7 Gilead is mine, and Manasses is mine; Ephraim also is the strength of my head; Juda is my law-giver;

8 Moab is my wash pot; over Edom will I cast out my shoe; Philistia be thou glad of me.

9 Who will lead me into the strong city; who will bring me into Edom?

10 Hast not thou cast us out, O God; wilt not thou, O God, go out with our hosts?

11 O be thou our help in trouble; for vain is the help of man.

12 Through God will we do great acts; for it is he that shall tread down our enemies.

*Psalms 61.*

**H**EAR my crying, O God; give ear unto my prayer.

2 From the ends of the earth will I call upon thee: when my heart is in heaviness.

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3 O set me upon the rock that is higher than I; for thou hast been my hope, and a strong tower for me against the enemy.

4 I will dwell in thy tabernacle for ever; and my trust shall be under the covering of thy wings.

5 For thou, O Lord, hast heard my desires; and hast given an heritage unto those that fear thy name.

6 Thou shalt grant the king a long life; that his years may endure throughout all generations.

7 He shall dwell before God for ever; O prepare thy loving mercy and faithfulness, that they may preserve him.

8 So will I always sing praise unto thy name; that I may daily perform my vows.

*Morning Prayer.*

*Psalms 62.*

**M**Y soul truly waiteth still upon God; for of him cometh my salvation.

2 He verily is my strength, and my salvation; he is my defence, so that I shall not greatly fall.

3 How long will ye imagine mischief against every man: ye shall be slain all the sort of you: yea, as a tottering wall shall ye be, and like a broken hedge.

4 Their device is only how to put him out whom God will exalt: their delight is in lies, they give good words with their mouth, but curse with their heart.

5 Nevertheless, my soul wait thou still upon God: for my hope is in him.

6 He truly is my strength and my salvation; he is my defence, so that I shall not fall.

7 In God is my health, and my glory: the rock of my might, and in God is my trust.

8 O put your trust in him always, ye people: pour out your hearts before him, for God is our hope.

9 As for the children of men, they are but vanity: the children of men are deceitful upon the weights, they are altogether lighter than vanity itself.

10 O trust not in wrong and

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and robbery, give not yourselves unto vanity; if riches increase, set not your heart upon them.

11 God spake once and twice, I have also heard the same: that power belongeth unto God:

12 And that thou, Lord, art merciful; for thou rewardest every man according to his work.

*Psalms 63.*

**O** God, thou art my God: early will I seek thee.

2 My soul thirsteth for thee, and my flesh also longeth after thee: in a barren and dry land where no water is.

3 Thus have I looked for thee, in holiness: that I might behold thy power and glory.

4 For thy loving-kindness is better than the life itself; my lips shall praise thee.

5 As long as I live I will magnify thee on this manner: and lift up my hands in thy name.

6 My soul shall be satisfied, even as it were with marrow and fatness; when

my mouth praiseth thee with joyful lips.

7 Have not I remembered thee in my bed: and thought upon thee, when I was waking?

8 Because thou hast been my helper: therefore under the shadow of thy wings will I rejoice.

9 My soul hangeth upon thee: thy right hand hath upholden me.

10 These also that seek the hurt of my soul: they shall go under the earth.

11 Let them fall upon the edge of the sword: that they may be a portion for foxes.

12 But the king shall rejoice in God; all they also that swear by him shall be commended: for the mouth of them that speak lies shall be stopped.

*Psalms 64.*

**H**EAR my voice, O God, in my prayer: preserve my life for fear of my enemy.

2 Hide me from the gathering together of the forward: and from the insurrection of wicked doers.

3 Who have whet their tongue



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tongue like a sword: and shoot out their arrows, even bitter words.

4 That they may privily shoot at him that is perfect: suddenly do they hit him, and fear not.

5 They encourage themselves in mischief: and commune among themselves, how they may lay snares, and say that no man shall see them.

6 They imagine wickedness, and practise it: that they keep secret among themselves, every man in the deep of his heart.

7 But God shall suddenly shoot at them with a swift arrow: that they shall be wounded.

8 Yea, their own tongue shall make them fall; inso-much that whoso seeth them shall laugh them to scorn.

9 And all men that see it shall say, This hath God done: for they shall perceive that it is his work.

10 The righteous shall rejoyce in the Lord, and put his trust in him: and all they that are true of heart shall be glad.

*Evening Prayer.*

*Psaln 65.*

**T**Hou, O God, art praised in Sion; and unto thee shall the vow be performed in Jerusalem.

2 Thou that hearest the prayer: unto thee shall all flesh come.

3 My misdeeds prevail against me; O be thou merciful unto our sins.

4 Blessed is the man whom thou chusest, and receivest unto thee; he shall dwell in thy court, and shall be satisfied with the pleasures of thy house even of thy holy temple.

5 Thou shalt shew us wonderful things in thy righteousness, O God of our salvation; thou art the hope of all the ends of the earth, and of them that remain in the broad sea.

6 Who in his strength setteth fast the mountains: and is girded about with power.

7 Who stilleth the raging of the sea; and the noise of his waves, and the madness of the people.

8 They also that dwell in the uttermost parts of the earth,

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earth, shall be afraid at thy tokens: thou that makest the out-goings of the morning and evening to praise thee.

9 Thou visitest the earth and blessest it; thou makest it very plenteous.

10 The river of God is full of water; thou preparest their corn, for so thou providest for the earth.

11 Thou waterest her furrows, thou sendest rain into the little valleys thereof; thou makest it soft with the drops of rain, and blessest the increase of it.

12 Thou crownest the year with thy goodness; and the clouds drop fatness.

13 They shall drop upon the dwellings of the wilderness; and the little hills shall rejoice on every side.

14 The folds shall be full of sheep: the valleys also shall stand so thick with corn, that they shall laugh and sing.

*Psalm 66.*

Be joyful in God, all ye lands; sing praises unto the honour of his

name, make his praise to be glorious.

2 Say unto God, O how wonderful art thou in thy works; through the greatness of thy power shall thine enemies be found liars unto thee.

3 For all the world shall worship thee; sing of thee, and praise thy name.

4 O come hither, and behold the works of God; how wonderful he is in his doing toward the children of men.

5 He turned the sea into dry land; so that they went through the water on foot; there did we rejoice thereof.

6 He ruleth with his power for ever, his eyes behold the people; and such as will not believe, shall not be able to exalt themselves.

7 O praise our God, ye people; and make the voice of his praise to be heard;

8 Who holdeth our soul in life; and suffereth not our feet to slip.

9 For thou, O God, hast proved us; thou also hast tried us, like as silver is tried.

10 Thou

10 Thou broughtest us into the snare: and laidst trouble upon our loyns.

11 Thou sufferedst men to ride over our heads: we went through fire and water, and thou broughtest us out into a wealthy place.

12 I will go into thine house with burnt offerings: and will pay thee my vows, which I promised with my lips, & spake with my mouth, when I was in trouble.

13 I will offer unto thee fat burnt-sacrifices, with the incense of rams; I will offer bullocks and goats.

14 O come hither and hearken, all ye that fear God: and I will tell you what he hath done for my soul.

15 I called unto him with my mouth: and gave him praises with my tongue.

16 If I incline unto wickedness with mine heart: the Lord will not hear me.

17 But God hath heard me: and considered the voice of my prayer.

18 Praised be God, who hath not cast out my prayer: nor turned his mercy from me.

*Psaln 67.*

**G**OD be merciful unto us, and bless us: and shew us the light of his countenance, and be merciful unto us;

2 That thy way may be known upon earth: thy saving health among all nations.

3 Let the people praise thee, O God: yea, let all the people praise thee.

4 O let the nations rejoice and be glad: for thou shalt judge the folk righteously, and govern the nations upon earth.

5 Let the people praise thee, O God: let all the people praise thee.

6 Then shall the earth bring forth her increase; and God even our own God, shall give us his blessing.

7 God shall bless us: and all the ends of the world shall fear him.

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*Psaln 68.*

**L**ET God arise, and let his enemies be scattered:

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ed : let them also that hate him, flee before him.

2 Like as the smoke vanisheth, so shalt thou drive them away ; and like as wax melteth at the fire, so let the ungodly perish at the presence of God.

3 But let the righteous be glad and rejoice before God ; let them also be merry and joyful.

4 O sing unto God, and sing praises unto his name ; magnify him that rideth upon the heavens, as it were upon a horse ; praise him in his name, yea, and rejoice before him.

5 He is a father of the fatherless, and defendeth the cause of the widows ; even God in his holy habitation.

6 He is the God that maketh men to be of one mind in a house and bringeth the prisoners out of captivity ; but letteth the runagates continue in scarceness.

7 O God, when thou wentest forth before the people ; when thou wentest through the wilderness.

8 The earth shook, and the heavens dropped at the

presence of God ; even as Sinai, also was moved at the presence of God, who is the God of Israel.

9 Thou, O God, sentest a gracious rain upon thine inheritance ; and refreshedst it, when it was weary.

10 The congregation shall dwell therein ; for thou, O God, hast of thy goodness prepared for the poor.

11 The Lord gave the word ; great was the company of the preachers.

12 Kings with their armies did flee, and were discomfited ; and they of the household divided the spoil.

13 Though ye have lien among the pots, yet shall ye be as the wings of a dove ; that is covered with silver-wings, and her feathers like gold.

14 When the Almighty scattered kings for their sake ; then were they as white as snow in Salmon.

15 As the hill of Basan, so is God's hill : even an high hill, as the hill of Basan.

16 Why hop ye so, ye high hillis ? this is God's hill,



hill in the which it pleaseth him to dwell; Yea, the Lord will abide in it for ever.

17 The chariots of God are twenty thousand, even thousands of angels; and the Lord is among them, as in the holy place of Sinai.

18 Thou art gone up on high, thou hast led captivity captive, and received gifts for men; Yea, even for thine enemies, that the Lord God might dwell among them.

19 Praised be the Lord daily; even the God who helpeth us, and poureth his benefits upon us.

20 He is our God, even the God of whom cometh salvation; God is the Lord, by whom we escape death.

21 God shall wound the head of his enemies; and the hairy scalp of such a one as goeth on still in his wickedness.

22 The Lord hath said, I will bring my people again, as I did from Basan; mine own will I bring again, as I did some time from the deep of the sea.

23 That thy foot may be dipped in the blood of thine

enemies; & that the tongue of thy dogs may be red through the same.

24 It is well seen, O God, how thou goest; how thou my God and King, goest in the sanctuary.

25 The fingers go before the minstrels follow after; in the midst are the damsels playing with the timbrels.

26 Give thanks, O Israel unto God the Lord, in the congregation; from the ground of the heart.

27 There is little Benjamin their ruler, and the princes of Judah their counsel; the princes of Zabulon and the princes of Nephthali.

28 Thy God hath sent forth strength for thee, to stablish the thing, O God, that thou hast wrought in us.

29 For thy temple's sake at Jerusalem; so shall kings bring presents unto thee.

30 When the company of the spear-men, and multitude of the mighty are scattered abroad among the beasts of the people, so that they humbly bring pieces of silver; and when he hath scattered the people that delight

delight in war.

31 Then shall the princes  
come out of Egypt : the  
Moriens land shall soon  
stretch out her hand unto  
God.

32 Sing unto God, O ye  
kingdoms of the earth : O  
sing praises unto the Lord.

33 Who sitteth in the  
heavens over all from the  
beginning : lo, he doth send  
out his voice, yea, and that  
a mighty voice.

34 Ascribe ye the power  
to God over Israel ; his  
worship and strength is in  
the clouds.

35 O God, wonderful art  
thou in thy holy places :  
even the God of Israel ; he  
will give strength and power  
unto his people ; blessed be  
God.

*Evening Prayer.*

*Psaln 69.*

**S**AVE me, O God : for  
the waters are come in  
even unto my soul.

2 I stick fast in the deep  
mire, where no ground is :  
I am come into deep waters,

so that the floods run over  
me.

3 I am weary of crying,  
my throat is dry : my sight  
faileth me for waiting so  
long upon my God.

4 They that hate me  
without a cause, are more  
than the hairs of my head :  
they that are mine ene-  
mies, and would destroy  
me guiltless, are mighty.

5 I paid them the things  
that I never took : God,  
thou knowest my simple-  
ness, and my faults are not  
hid from me.

6 Let not them that trust  
in thee, O Lord God of  
hosts, be ashamed for my  
cause : let not those that  
seek thee, be confounded  
through me, O Lord God  
of Israel.

7 And why ? for thy  
sake have I suffered reproof :  
shame hath covered my  
face.

8 I am become a stranger  
unto my brethren : even  
an alien unto my mother's  
children.

9 For the zeal of thine  
house hath even eaten me :

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and the rebukes of them  
that rebuked thee are fallen  
upon me.

10 I wept and chast-  
ned my self with fasting :  
and that was turned to my  
reproof.

11 I put on sackcloth  
also : and they jested upon  
me.

12 They that sit in the  
gate speak against me : and  
the drunkards make songs  
upon me.

13 But, Lord, I make  
my prayer unto thee : in an  
acceptable time.

14 Hear me, O God, in  
the multitude of thy mer-  
cy : even in the truth of  
thy salvation.

15 Take me out of the  
mire that I sink not : O let  
me be delivered from them  
that hate me, and out of the  
deep waters.

16 Let not the water-  
flood drown me, neither  
let the deep swallow me  
up : and let not the pit  
shut her mouth upon me

17 Hear me, O Lord,  
for thy loving kindness is  
comfortable : turn thee un-  
to me according to the mul-  
titude of thy mercies.

18 And hide not thy face  
from thy servant, for I am  
in trouble ; O haste thee,  
and hear me.

19 Draw nigh unto my  
soul, and save it : O de-  
liver me, because of mine  
enemies.

20 Thou hast known  
my reproof, my shame,  
and my dishonour : mine  
adversaries are all in thy  
sight.

21 Thy rebuke hath  
broken my heart, I am  
full of heaviness : I look-  
ed for some to have pity  
on me, but there was no  
man, neither found I any  
to comfort me.

22 They gave me gall  
to eat : and when I was  
thirsty, they gave me vi-  
negar to drink.

23 Let their table be  
made a snare to take them-  
selves withal : and let the  
things that should have  
been for their wealth, be  
unto them an occasion of  
falling.

24 Let their eyes be  
blinded that they see not :  
and ever bow thou down  
their backs.

25 Pour

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25 Pour out thine indignation upon them: and let thy wrathful displeasure take hold of them.

26 Let their habitation be void: and no man to dwell in their tents.

27 For they persecute him whom thou hast smitten: and they talk how they may vex them whom thou hast wounded.

28 Let them fall from one wickedness to another: and not come into thy righteousness.

29 Let them be wiped out of the book of the living: and not be written among the righteous.

30 As for me, when I am poor and in heaviness: thy help, O God, shall lift me up.

31 I will praise the name of God with a song: and magnify it with thanksgiving.

32 This also shall please the Lord: better than a bullock that hath horns and hoofs.

33 The humble shall consider this, and be glad: seek ye after God, and your soul shall live.

34 For the Lord heareth the poor: and despiseth not his prisoners.

35 Let heaven and earth praise him: the sea, and all that moveth therein.

36 For God will save Sion, and build the cities of Judah: that men may dwell there, and have it in possession.

37 The posterity also of his servants shall inherit it: and they that love his name shall dwell therein.

*Psalms 70.*

**H**ASTE thee, O God to deliver me: make haste to help me, O Lord.

2 Let them be shamed and confounded that seek after my soul: let them be turned backward, and put to confusion that wish me evil.

3 Let them for their reward be soon brought to shame: that cry over me. There, there.

4 But let all those that seek thee, be joyful and glad in thee: and let all such as delight in thy salva-



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tion, say alway, The Lord  
be praised.

5 As for me, I am poor  
and in misery : haste thee  
unto me, O God.

6 Thou art my helper  
and my redeemer : O Lord,  
make no longer tarrying.

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**I**N thee, O Lord, have I  
put my trust, let me  
never be put to confusion :  
but rid me, and deliver me  
in thy righteousness ; incline  
thine ear unto me, and save  
me.

2 Be thou my strong  
hold, whereunto I may al-  
way resort : thou hast pro-  
mised to help me, for thou  
art my house of defence and  
my castle.

3 Deliver me, O my  
God, out of the hands of  
the ungodly : out of the  
hand of the unrighteous and  
cruel man.

4 For thou, O Lord God,  
art the thing that I long  
for : thou art my hope, even  
from my youth.

5 Through thee have

I been holden up ever since  
I was born : thou art he  
that took me out of my  
mother's womb ; my praise  
shall be always of thee.

6 I am become as it were  
a monster unto many : but  
my sure trust is in thee.

7 O let my mouth be  
filled with thy praise : that  
I may sing of thy glory  
and honour all the day  
long.

8 Cast me not away in  
the time of age : forsake  
me not when my strength  
faileth me.

9 For mine enemies speak  
against me, and they that  
lay wait for my soul take  
their counsel together, say-  
ing : God hath forsaken him,  
persecute him, and take  
him, for there is none to  
deliver him.

10 Go not far from me,  
O God : my God, haste thee  
to help me.

11 Let them be confound-  
ed and perish, that are against  
my soul : let them be covered  
with shame and dishonour,  
that seek to do me evil.

12 As for me, I will pati-  
ently abide alway : and will  
praise thee more and more.

13 My

13 My mouth shall daily speak of thy righteousness and salvation ; for I know no end thereof.

14 I will go forth in the strength of the Lord God : and will make mention of thy righteousness only.

15 Thou, O God, hast taught me from my youth up until now : therefore will I tell of thy wondrous works.

16 Forsake me not, O God, in mine old age, when I am grey-headed : until I have shewed thy strength unto this generation, and thy power to all them that are yet for to come.

17 Thy righteousness, O God, is very high : and great things are they that thou hast done ; O God, who is like unto thee ?

18 O what great troubles and adversities hast thou shewed me ! and yet didst thou turn and refresh me : yea, and broughtest me from the deep of the earth again.

19 Thou hast brought me to great honour : and comforted me on every side.

20 Therefore will I praise thee : and thy faithfulness

O God, playing upon an instrument of musick : unto thee will I sing upon the harp, O thou holy One of Israel.

21 My lips will be fain when I sing unto thee ; and so will my soul whom thou hast delivered.

22 My tongue also shall talk of thy righteousness all the day long : for they are confounded and brought unto shame, that seek to do me evil.

*Psaln 72.*

**G**IVE the king thy judgements, O God, and thy righteousness unto the king's son.

2 Then shall he judge thy people according unto right and defend the poor.

3 The mountains also shall bring peace : and the little hills righteousness unto the people.

4 He shall keep the simple folk by their right : defend the children of the poor, and punish the wrong doer.

5 They shall fear thee as long as the sun and

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moon endureth : from one generation to another.

6 He shall come down like the rain unto a fleece of wool : even as drops that water the earth.

7 In his time shall the righteous flourish : yea, and abundance of peace, so long as the moon endureth.

8 His dominion shall be also from the one sea to the other : and from the flood unto the world's end.

9 They that dwell in the wilderness shall kneel before him : his enemies shall lick the dust.

10 The kings of Tharsis, and of the isles shall give presents : the kings of Arabia and Sheba shall bring gifts.

11 All kings shall fall down before him : all nations shall do him service.

12 For he shall deliver the poor when he crieth ; the needy also, and him that hath no helper.

13 He shall be favourable to the simple and needy : and shall preserve the souls of the poor.

14 He shall deliver their souls from falsehood and wrong : and dear shall their blood be in his sight.

15 He shall live, and unto him shall be given of the gold of Arabia : prayer shall be made ever unto him, and daily shall he be praised.

16 There shall be an heap of corn in the earth, high upon the hills : his fruit shall shake like Libanus, and shall be green in the city, like grass upon the earth.

17 His name shall endure for ever, his name shall remain under the sun among the posterities : which shall be blessed through him, and all the heathen shall praise him.

18 Blessed be the Lord God, even the God of Israel : who only doth wondrous things ;

19 And blessed be the name of his Majesty for ever : and all the earth shall be filled with his Majesty. *Amen. Amen.*

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*Pfalm 73.*

**T**Ruly God is loving unto Israel; even unto such as are of a clean heart.

2 Nevertheless, my feet were almost gone: my treadings had well nigh slipt.

3 And why, I was grieved at the wicked; I do also see the ungodly in such prosperity.

4 For they are in no peril of death: but are lusty and strong.

5 They come in no misfortune like other folk: neither are they plagued like other men.

6 And this is the cause that they are so holden with pride: and overwhelmed with cruelty.

7 Their eyes swell with fatness: and they do even what they lust.

8 They corrupt others, and speak of wicked blasphemy: their talking is against the most High.

9 For they stretch forth their mouth unto the heaven: and their tongue goeth through the world.

10 Therefore fall the people unto them; and thereout suck they no small advantage.

11 Tush say they, how should God perceive it: is there knowledge in the most High?

12 Lo, these are the ungodly, these prosper in the world, and these have riches in possession: and I said, Then have I cleansed my heart in vain, and washed mine hands in innocency.

13 All the day long have I been punished: and chastened every morning.

14 Yea, I had almost said even as they: but lo, then I should have condemned the generation of thy children.

15 Then thought I to understand this; but it was too hard for me.

16 Until I went into the sanctuary of God: then understood I the end of these men;

17 Namely, how thou dost set them in slippery places: and casteth them down, and destroyeth them.



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18 Oh how suddenly do they consume : perish, and come to a fearful end !

19 Yea, even like as a dream when one awaketh : so shalt thou make their image to vanish out of the city.

20 Thus my heart was grieved : and it went even through my reins.

21 So foolish was I, and ignorant ; even as it were a beast before thee.

22 Nevertheless, I am alway by thee : for thou hast holpen me by thy right hand.

23 Thou shalt guide me with thy counsel ; and after that receive me with glory.

24 Whom have I in heaven but thee : and there is none upon earth that I desire in comparison of thee.

25 My flesh and my heart faileth : but God is the strength of my heart, and my portion for ever.

26 For lo, they that forsake thee shall perish : thou hast destroyed all them that commit fornication against thee.

27 But it is good for me to hold me fast by God, to put my trust in the Lord God : and to speak of all thy works in the gates of the daughter of Sion.

*Psalms 74.*

**O** God, wherefore art thou absent from us so long ; why is thy wrath so hot against the sheep of thy pasture ?

2 O think upon thy congregation : whom thou hast purchased and redeemed of old.

3 Think upon the tribe of thine inheritance : and mount Sion, wherein thou hast dwelt.

4 Lift up thy feet that thou mayest utterly destroy every enemy : which hath done evil in thy sanctuary.

5 Thine adversaries roar in the midst of thy congregations : and set up their banners for tokens.

6 He that hewed timber afore out of the thick trees : was known to bring it to an excellent work.

7 But now they break down all the carved work there

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thereof : with axes and hammers.

8 They have set fire upon thy holy places : and have defiled the dwelling place of thy name, even unto the ground.

9 Yea, they said in their hearts, Let us make havock of them altogether : thus have they burnt up all the houses of God in the land.

10 We see not our tokens, there is not one prophet more : no, not one is there among us, that understandeth any more.

11 O God, how long shall the adversary do this dishonour : how long shall the enemy blaspheme thy Name for ever?

12 Why withdrawest thou thy hand : why pluckest thou not thy right hand out of thy bosom to consume the enemy?

13 For God is my King of old : the help that is done upon earth he doth it himself.

14 Thou didst divide the

thou brakest the heads of the dragons in the waters.

15 Thou smoteest the heads of Leviathan in pieces : and gavest him to be meat for the people in the wilderness.

16 Thou broughtest out fountains and waters out of the hard rocks : thou driest up mighty waters.

17 The day is thine, and the night is thine : thou hast prepared the light and the sun.

18 Thou hast set all the borders of the earth : thou hast made summer and winter.

19 Remember this, O Lord, how the enemy hath rebuked : and how the foolish people hath blasphemed thy name.

20 O deliver not the soul of thy turtle-dove unto the multitude of the enemies : and forget not the congregation of the poor for ever.

21 Look upon the

covenant : for all the earth is full of darkness and cruel habitations.

22 O let not the simple go away ashamed : but let the poor and needy give praise unto thy name.

23 Arise, O God, maintain thine own cause : remember how the foolish man blasphemeth thee daily.

24 Forget not the voice of thine enemies ; the presumption of them that hate thee, increaseth ever more and more.

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*Psalms 75.*

**U**Nto thee, O God, do we give thanks ; yea, unto thee do we give thanks.

2 Thy name also is so high ; and that do thy wondrous works declare.

3 When I receive the congregation ; I shall judge according unto right.

4 The earth is weak, and all the inhabitants thereof : I bear up the pillars of it.

5 I said unto the fools, Deal not so madly : and to the ungodly, Set not up your horn.

6 Set not up your horn on high : and speak not with a stiff neck.

7 For promotion cometh neither from the east, nor from the west : nor yet from the south.

8 And why ? God is the Judge : he putteth down one and setteth up another.

9 For in the hand of the Lord there is a cup, and the wine is red : it is full mixt, and he poureth out of the same.

10 As for the dregs thereof : all the ungodly of the earth shall drink them, and suck them out.

11 But I will talk of the God of Jacob : and praise him for ever.

12 All the horns of the ungodly also will I break : and the horns of the righteous shall be exalted.

*Psalms 76.*

**I**N Jewry is God known : his name is great in Israel.

2 At Salem is his tabernacle : & his dwelling in Sion.

3 There brake he the arrows of the bow : the shield,

shield, the sword, and the battle.

4 Thou art of more honour and might: than the hills of the robbers.

5 The proud are robbed, they have slept their sleep; and all the men whose hands were mighty, have found nothing.

6 At thy rebuke, O God of Jacob: both the chariot and horse are fallen.

7 Thou, even thou art to be feared: and who may stand in thy sight, when thou art angry?

8 Thou didst cause thy judgment to be heard from heaven: the earth trembled, and was still.

9 When God arose to judgment: and to help all the meek upon earth.

10 The fierceness of man shall turn to thy praise: and the fierceness of them shalt thou refrain.

11 Promise unto the Lord your God, and keep it, all you that are round about him: bring presents unto him that ought to be feared.

12 He shall refrain the spirit of princes; and is

wonderful among the kings of the earth.

*Psalms 77.*

**I** Will cry unto God with my voice; even unto God will I cry with my voice, and he shall hearken unto me.

2 In the time of my trouble I sought the Lord; my fore ran and ceased not in the night season; my soul refused comfort.

3 When I am in heaviness, I will think upon God; when my heart is vexed, I will complain.

4 Thou holdest mine eyes waking; I am so feeble that I cannot speak.

5 I have considered the days of old; and the years that are past.

6 I call to remembrance my song; & in the night I commune with mine own heart, and search out my spirits.

7 Will the Lord absent himself for ever; and will he be no more intreated?

8 Is his mercy clean gone for ever; and is his promise come utterly to an end for evermore?



9 Hath God forgotten to be gracious : and will he shut up his loving kindness in displeasure ?

10 And I said, it is mine own infirmity : but I will remember the years of the right hand of the most Highest.

11 I will remember the works of the Lord ; and call to mind thy wonders of old time.

12 I will think also of all thy works ; and my talking shall be of thy doings.

13 Thy way, O God, is holy : who is so great a God as our God ?

14 Thou art the God that dost wonders : and hast declared thy power among the people.

15 Thou hast mightily delivered thy people : even the sons of Jacob and Joseph.

16 The waters saw thee, O God, the waters saw thee, and were afraid ; the depths also were troubled.

17 The clouds poured out water, the air thundered : and thine arrows went abroad.

18 The voice of thy thunder was heard round

about : the lightning shone upon the ground, the earth was moved and shook withal.

19 Thy way is in the sea, and thy paths in the great waters ; and thy footsteps are not known.

20 Thou leddest thy people like sheep : by the hand of Moses and Aaron.

*Evening Prayer.*

*Psalms 78.*

**H**E A R my law, O my people : incline your ears unto the words of my mouth.

2 I will open my mouth in a parable : I will declare hard sentences of old ;

3 Which we have heard and known ; and such as our fathers have told us ;

4 That we should not hide them from the children of the generations to come : but to shew the honour of the Lord, his mighty and wonderful works that he hath done.

5 He made a covenant with Jacob, and gave Israel a law ; which he commanded

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ed our forefathers to teach their children.

6 That their posterity might know it: and the children which were yet unborn;

7 To the intent that when they came up: they might shew their children the same;

8 That they might put their trust in God; and not to forget the works of God, but to keep his commandments;

9 And not to be as their forefathers, a faithless and stubborn generation: a generation that set not their heart aright, and whose spirit cleaveth not stedfastly unto God;

10 Like as the children of Ephraim; who being harnessed, and carrying bows, turned themselves back in the day of battle.

11 They kept not the covenant of God: and would not walk in his law;

12 But forgot what he had done: and the wonderful works that he had shewed for them.

13 Marvellous things did he in the sight of our fore-

fathers, in the land of Egypt: even in the field of Zoan.

14 He divided the sea, and let them go through: he made the waters to stand on an heap.

15 In the day-time also he led them with a cloud: and all the night through with a light of fire.

16 He clave the hard rocks in the wilderness; and gave them drink thereof, as it had been out of the great depth.

17 He brought waters out of the stony-rock; so that it gushed out like the rivers.

18 Yet for all this they sinned more against him: and provoked the most Highest in the wilderness.

19 They tempted God in their hearts: and required meat for their lust.

20 They spake against God also, saying; Shall God prepare a table in the wilderness?

21. He smote the stony rock indeed, that the water gushed out, and the streams flowed withal: but can he give bread also, or provide flesh,

flesh for his people.

22 When the Lord heard this, he was wroth : so the fire was kindled in Jacob, and there came up heavy displeasure against Israel ;

23 Because they believed not in God : and put not their trust in his help.

24 So he commanded the clouds above : and opened the doors of heaven.

25 He rained down manna also upon them for to eat : and gave them food from heaven.

26 So man did eat angels food : for he sent them meat enough.

27 He caused the east-wind to blow under heaven : and through his power he brought in the south-west-wind.

28 He rained flesh upon them as thick as dust : and feathered fowls like as the sand of the sea.

29 He let it fall among their tents : even round about their habitation.

30 So they did eat, and were well filled, for he gave them their own desire : they were not disappointed of their lust.

31 But while the meat was yet in their mouths, the heavy wrath of God came upon them, and slew the wealthiest of them : yea, and smote down the chosen men that were in Israel.

32 But for all this they sinned yet more : and believed not his wondrous works.

33 Therefore their days did he consume in vanity : and their years in trouble.

34 When he slew them, they sought him : and turned them early and enquired after God.

35 And they remembered that God was their strength : and that the high God was their Redeemer.

36 Nevertheless, they did but flatter him with their mouths : and dissembled with him in their tongue.

37 For their heart was not whole with him ; neither continued they stedfast in his covenant.

38 But he was so merciful, that he forgave their mis-

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misdeeds : and destroyed unto the caterpillar : and  
them not. their labour unto the grass-

39 Yea, many a time hopper.  
turned he his wrath away : 48 He destroyed their  
and would not suffer his vines with hail-stones : and  
whole displeasure to arise. their mulberry-trees with

40 For he considered that the frost.  
they were but flesh : and 49 He smote their cattle  
that they were even a wind also with hail-stones : and  
that passeth away, and com- their flocks with hot thun-  
eth not again. der-bolts.

41 Many a time did they 50 He cast upon them  
provoke him in the wilder- the furiousness of his wrath,  
ness : and grieved him in the anger, displeasure and trou-  
desert. ble : and sent evil angels  
among them.

42 They turned back and 51 He made a way to his  
tempted God : and moved indignation, and spared not  
the holy One in Israel. their soul from death : but

43 They thought not of gave their life over to the  
his hand : and of the day pestilence.  
when he delivered them 52 And smote all the first-  
from the hand of the ene- born in Egypt : the most  
my. principal and mightiest in the  
dwellings of Ham.

44 How he had wrought 53 But as for his own  
his miracles in Egypt : and people, he led them forth  
his wonders in the field of like sheep : and carried  
Zoan. them in the wilderness like  
a flock.

45 He turned their wa- 54 He brought them out  
ters into blood : so that they safely, that they should not  
might not drink of the fear : and overwhelmed their  
rivers. enemies with the sea.

46 He sent lice among 55 And brought them  
them, and devoured them out of the sea.  
up : and frogs to destroy 56 And brought them  
them. out of the sea.

47 He gave their fruit within the borders of his  
sanctu-



sanctuary : even to his mountain which he purchased with his right-hand.

56 He cast out the heathen also before them : caused their land to be divided among them for an heritage, and made the tribes of Israel to dwell in their tents.

57 So they tempted and displeased the most high God : and kept not his testimonies.

58 But turned their backs, and fell away like their forefathers : starting aside like a broken bow.

59 For they grieved him with their hill altars : and provoked him to displeasure with their images.

60 When God heard this, he was wroth : and took sore displeasure at Israel ;

61 So that he forsook the tabernacle in Silo ; even the tent that he had pitched among men.

62 He delivered their power into captivity ; and their beauty into the enemies hand.

63 He gave his people over also unto the sword : he might feed Jacob his people,

and was wroth with his inheritance.

64 The fire consumed their young men : and their maidens were not given to marriage.

65 Their priests were slain with the sword : and there were no widows to make lamentation.

66 So the Lord awaked as one out of sleep : and like a giant refreshed with wine.

67 He smote his enemies in the hinder parts : and put them to a perpetual shame.

68 He refused the tabernacle of Joseph : and chose not the tribe of Ephraim ;

69 But chose the tribe of Juda : even the hill of Sion which he loved.

70 And there he built his temple on high : and laid the foundation of it like the ground which he hath made continually.

71 He chose David also his servant : and took him away from the sheep-folds.

72 As he was following the ewes great with young ones, he took him : that

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people, and Israel his inheritance. nation upon the heathen that have not known thee ;

73 So he fed them with a faithful and true heart : and ruled them prudently with all his power. and upon the kingdoms that have not called upon thy name.

7 For they have devoured Jacob : and laid waste his dwelling-place.

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*Psalms 79.*

O God, the heathen are come into thine inheritance : thy holy temple have they defiled, and made Jerusalem an heap of stones.

2 The dead bodies of thy servants have they given to be meat unto the fowls of the air : and the flesh of thy saints unto the beasts of the land.

3 Their blood have they shed like water on every side of Jerusalem : and their was no man to bury them.

4 We are become an open shame to our enemies : a very scorn and derision unto them that are round about us.

5 Lord, how long wilt thou be angry ; shall thy jealousy burn like fire for ever ?

6 Pour out thine indig-

8 O remember not our old sins, but have mercy upon us, and that soon ; for we are come to great misery.

9 Help us, O God of our salvation, for the glory of thy name ; O deliver us, and be merciful unto our sins for thy name's sake.

10 Wherefore do the heathen say ; Where is now their God ?

11 O let the vengeance of thy servants blood that is shed ; be openly shewed upon the heathen in our sight.

12 O let the sorrowful sighing of the prisoners come before thee ; according to the greatness of thy power, preserve thou those that are appointed to die.

13 And for the blasphemy wherewith our neighbours have

have blasphemed thee : re- laugh us to scorn.  
ward thou them, O Lord,  
seven-fold into their bosom.

14 So we that are thy people, and sheep of thy pasture, shall give thee thanks for ever : and will always be shewing forth thy praise from generation to generation.

*Psalme 80.*

**H**ear, O thou shepherd of Israel, thou that ledest Joseph like a sheep : shew thyself also, thou that sittest upon the cherubims.

2 Before Ephraim, Benjamin and Manasses : stir up thy strength, and come and help us.

3 Turn us again, O God : shew the light of thy countenance, and we shall be whole.

4 O Lord God of hosts : how long wilt thou be angry with thy people that prayeth ?

5 Thou feedest them with the bread of tears : and givest them plenteousness of tears to drink.

6 Thou hast made us a very strife unto our neighbours : and our enemies

7 Turn us again, thou God of hosts : shew the light of thy countenance, and we shall be whole.

8 Thou hast brought a vine out of Egypt : thou hast cast out the heathen and planted it.

9 Thou madest room for it : and when it had taken root, it filled the land.

10 The hills were covered with the shadow of it : and the boughs thereof were like the goodly cedar-trees.

11 She stretched out her branches unto the sea : and her boughs unto the river.

12 Why hast thou then broken down her hedge, that all they that go by pluck off her grapes ?

13 The wild boar out of the wood doth root it up, and the wild beasts of the field devour it.

14 Turn thee again, thou God of hosts, look down from heaven : behold, and visit this vine ;

15 And the place of the vineyard that thy right-hand hath planted : and the branch that thou madest so strong for thy self.

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16 It is burnt with fire, and cut down : and they shall perish at the rebuke of thy countenance.

17 Let thy hand be upon the man of thy right hand : and upon the Son of man whom thou madest so strong for thine own self.

18 And so will not we go back from thee : O let us live, and we shall call upon thy name.

19 Turn us again, O Lord God of hosts : shew the light of thy countenance, and we shall be whole.

*Psalms 81.*

**S**ING ye merrily unto God our strength : make a cheerful noise unto the God of Jacob.

2 Take the psalm, bring hither the tabret : the merry harp with the lute.

3 Blow up the trumpet in the new moon : even in the time appointed, and upon our solemn feast-day.

4 For this was made a statute for Israel : and a law of the God of Jacob.

5 This he ordained in Joseph for a testimony : when he came out of the

land of Egypt, and had heard a strange language.

6 I eased his shoulder from the burden : and his hands were delivered from making the pots.

7 Thou calledst upon me in troubles, and I delivered thee : and heard thee what time as the storm fell upon thee.

8 I proved thee also ; at the waters of strife.

9 Hear, O my people, and I will assure thee, O Israel ; if thou wilt hearken unto me.

10 There shall no strange God be in thee : neither shalt thou worship any other God.

11 I am the Lord thy God, who brought thee out of the land of Egypt : open thy mouth wide, and I shall fill it.

12 But my people would not hear my voice : and Israel would not obey me.

13 So I gave them up unto their own hearts lusts : and let them follow their own imaginations.

14 O that my people would have hearkned unto me : for if Israel had walked

ed



ed in my ways.

15 I should soon have put down their enemies ; and turned my hand against their adversaries.

16 The haters of the Lord should have been found liars : but their time should have endured for ever.

17 He should have fed them also with the finest wheat flour : & with honey out of the stony rock should I have satisfied thee.

*Evening Prayer.*

*Psaln 82.*

**G**OD standeth in the congregation of princes : he is a judge among gods.

2 How long will ye give wrong judgment : and accept the persons of the ungodly ?

3 Defend the poor and fatherless : see that such as are in need and necessity have right.

4 Deliver the out-cast and poor ; save them from the hand of the ungodly.

5 They will not be learned nor understand, but walk on still in darkness ; all the foundations of the earth are out of course,

6 I have said, ye are gods ; and ye are all the children of the most Highest ;

7 But ye shall die like men : and fall like one of the princes.

8 Arise, O God, and judge thou the earth ; for thou shalt take all heathen to thine inheritance.

*Psaln 83.*

**H**OLD not thy tongue, O God, keep not still silence : refrain not thyself, O God.

2 For lo, thine enemies make a murmuring : and they that hate thee, have lifted up their head.

3 They have imagined craftily against thy people, and taken counsel against thy secret ones.

4 They have said, Come, and let us root them out, that they be no more a people : and that the name of Israel may be no more in remembrance.

5 For they have cast their heads together with one consent ; and are confederate against thee ;

6 The tabernacles of the Edomites, and the Ishmaelites ; the Moabites and Hagarens ;

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7 Gebal, and Ammon,  
and Amalek : the Philistines,  
with them that dwell at  
Tyre.

8 Assur also is joined with  
them : and have holpen the  
children of Lot.

9 But do thou to them  
as unto the Midianites :  
unto Sifera, and unto Jabin,  
at the brook of Kifon ;

10 Who perished at En-  
dor : and became as the  
dung of the earth.

11 Make them and their  
princes like Oreb and Zeb :  
and make all their priuces  
like Zeba and Salmana ;

12 Who say, Let us take  
ourselves ; the houses of  
God in possession.

13 O my God, make  
them like unto a wheel ; and  
the stubble before the  
outwind ;

14 Like as the fire that  
burneth up the wood : and  
in the flame that consumeth  
the mountains.

15 Persecute them even  
with thy tempest : and  
make them afraid with thy  
storm.

16 Make their faces a-  
shamed, O Lord ; that they  
may seek thy name.

17 Let them be con-  
founded and vexed ever  
more and more ; let them  
be put to shame and pe-  
rish.

18 And they shall know  
that thou whose name is  
Jehovah ; art only the most  
Highest over all the earth.

*Psalms 84.*

**O** How aimable are thy  
dwellings ; thou Lord  
of hosts !

2 My soul hath a desire  
and longing to enter into the  
courts of the Lord ; my heart  
and my flesh rejoice in the  
living God.

3 Yea, the sparrow hath  
found her an house, and  
the swallow a nest, where  
she may lay her young ;  
even thy altars, O Lord of  
hosts, my King and my  
God.

4 Blessed are they that  
dwell in thy house ; they  
will be alway praising thee.

5 Blessed is the man  
whose strength is in thee ;  
in whose heart are thy  
ways.

6 Who going through the  
vale of misery, use it for a  
well

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well : and the pools are filled with water.

7 They will go from strength to strength : and unto the God of gods appeareth every one of them in Sion.

8 O Lord God of hosts, hear my prayer : hearken, O God of Jacob.

9 Behold, O God, our defender : and look upon the face of thine Anointed.

10 For one day in thy courts : is better than a thousand.

11 I had rather be a door-keeper in the house of my God : than to dwell in the tents of ungodliness.

12 For the Lord God is a light and defence : the Lord will give grace and worship, and no good thing shall he withhold from them that live a godly life.

13 O Lord God of hosts : blessed is the man that putteth his trust in thee.

*Psalms 85.*

**L**ORD, thou art become gracious unto thy land : thou hast turned away the captivity of Jacob.

2 Thou hast forgiven the

offence of thy people : and covered all their sins.

3 Thou hast taken away all thy displeasure : and turned thyself from thy wrathful indignation.

4 Turn us then, O God our Saviour : and let thine anger cease from us.

5 Wilt thou be displeased at us for ever : and wilt thou stretch out thy wrath from one generation to another ?

6 Wilt thou not turn again and quicken us : that thy people may rejoice in thee ?

7 Shew us thy mercy, O Lord : and grant us thy salvation.

8 I will hearken what the Lord God will say concerning me ; for he shall speak peace unto his people, and to his saints that they turn not again.

9 For his salvation is nigh them that fear him : that glory may dwell in our land.

10 Mercy and truth are met together : righteousness and peace have kissed each other.

11 Truth shall flourish out of the earth : and righteousness

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righteousness hath looked down  
from heaven.

12 Yea, the Lord shall  
show loving-kindness ; and  
our land shall give her in-  
crease.

13 Righteousness shall go  
before him : and he shall  
direct his going in the way.

*Morning Prayer.*

*Psalms 86.*

BOW down thine ear, O  
Lord, and hear me :  
for I am poor and in mi-  
sery.

2 Preserve thou my soul,  
for I am holy : my God,  
have thy servant that putteth  
his trust in thee.

3 Be merciful unto me,  
O Lord : for I will call  
daily upon thee.

4 Comfort the soul of thy  
servant : for unto thee, O  
Lord, do I lift up my soul.

5 For thou, Lord, art  
good and gracious ; and of  
great mercy unto all them  
that call upon thee.

6 Give ear, Lord, unto  
my prayer ; and ponder the  
voice of my humble desires.

7 In the time of my  
trouble I will call upon thee ;  
for thou hearest me.

8 Among the gods there  
is none like unto thee, O  
Lord ; there is not one that  
can do as thou dost.

9 All nations whom  
thou hast made shall come  
and worship thee, O Lord,  
and shall glorify thy name.

10 For thou art great,  
and dost wondrous things ;  
thou art God alone.

11 Teach me thy  
way, O Lord, and I will  
walk in thy truth ; O  
knit my heart unto thee,  
that I may fear thy name.

12 I will thank thee, O  
Lord my God, with all my  
heart ; and will praise thy  
name for evermore.

13 For great is thy mer-  
cy toward me ; and thou  
hast delivered my soul from  
the nethermost hell.

14 O God, the proud are  
risen against me ; and the  
congregations of naughty  
men have sought after my  
soul, and have not set thee  
before their eyes.

15 But thou, O Lord  
God, art full of compassion  
and



and mercy ; long-suffering, plenteous in goodness and truth.

16 O turn thee then unto me, and have mercy upon me ; give thy strength unto thy servant, and help the son of thine handmaid.

17 Shew some token upon me for good, that they who hate me may see it, and be ashamed ; because thou, Lord, hast holpen me, and comforted me.

*Psaln 87.*

**H**ER foundations are upon the holy hills ; the Lord loveth the gates of Sion more than all the dwellings of Jacob.

2 Very excellent things are spoken of thee ; thou city of God.

3 I will think upon Rahab and Babylon ; with them that know me.

4 Behold ye the Philistines also ; and they of Tyre, with the Morians ; lo, there was he born.

5 And of Sion, it shall be reported that he was born in her ; and the most High shall stablish her.

6 The Lord shall rehearse it when he writeth up the people ; that he was born there.

7 The singers also and trumpeters shall he rehearse ; all my fresh springs shall be in thee.

*Psaln 88.*

**O** Lord God of my salvation, I have cried day and night before thee ; let my prayer enter into thine presence, incline thine ear unto my calling.

2 For my soul is full of trouble ; and my life draweth nigh unto hell.

3 I am counted as one of them that go down into the pit ; and I have been even as a man that hath no strength.

4 Free among the dead like unto them, that are wounded, and lie in the grave ; who are out of remembrance, and are cut away from thy hand.

5 Thou hast laid me in the lowest pit ; in a place of darkness, and in the deep.

6 Thine indignation lieth hard upon me ; and thou hast vexed me with all storms,

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7 Thou hast put away fear of thee hath undone me.  
mine acquaintance far from me : and made me to be  
abhorred of them.

8 I am so fast in prison :  
that I cannot get forth.

9 My sight faileth for  
very trouble : Lord, I have  
called daily upon thee, I have  
stretched forth my hands  
unto thee.

10 Dost thou shew won-  
ders among the dead : or  
shall the dead rise up again  
and praise thee ?

11 Shall thy loving-kind-  
ness be shewed in the grave :  
or thy faithfulness in de-  
struction ?

12 Shall thy wondrous  
works be known in the  
dark : and thy righteousness  
in the land where all things  
are forgotten ?

13 Unto thee have I cried,  
O Lord : and early shall my  
prayer come before thee.

14 Lord, why abhorrest  
thou my soul : and hidest  
thou thy face from me ?

15 I am in misery, and like  
unto him that is at the point  
to die : even from my youth  
up thy terrors have I suffer-  
ed with a troubled mind.

16 Thy wrathful displea-  
sure goeth over me : and the

17 They came round a-  
bout me daily like water :  
and compassed me together  
on every side.

18 My lovers and friends  
hast thou put away from  
me : and hid mine acquaint-  
ance out of my sight.

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*Psaln 89.*

**M**Y song shall be alway  
of the loving-kindness  
of the Lord : with my mouth  
will I ever be shewing thy  
truth from one generation  
to another.

2 For I have said, Mer-  
cy shall be set up for ever :  
thy truth shalt thou establish  
in the heavens.

3 I have made a covenant  
with my chosen : I have  
sworn unto David my ser-  
vant.

4 Thy seed will I stablish  
for ever : and set up thy  
throne from one generation  
to another.

5 O Lord, the very heavens  
shall praise thy wondrous  
works ; and thy truth in the  
congregation of the saints.

6 For who is he among  
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the clouds; that shall be compared unto the Lord?

7 And what is he among the gods: that shall be like unto the Lord?

8 God is very greatly to be feared in the councils of the saints: and to be had in reverence of all them that are round about him.

9 O Lord God of hosts, who is like unto thee: thy truth, most mighty Lord, is on every side.

10 Thou rulest the raging of the sea: thou stillest the waves thereof when they arise.

11 Thou hast subdued Egypt and destroyed it: thou hast scattered thine enemies abroad with thy mighty arm.

12 The heavens are thine, the earth also is thine: thou hast laid the foundation of the round world, and all that therein is.

13 Thou hast made the north and the south; Tabor and Hermon shall rejoice in thy name.

14 Thou hast a mighty arm: strong is thy hand, and high is thy right hand.

15 Righteousness and equity are the habitation of thy seat: mercy and truth

shall go before thy face.

16 Blessed is the people, O Lord, that can rejoice in thee: they shall walk in the light of thy countenance.

17 Their delight shall be daily in thy name: and in thy righteousness shall they make their boast.

18 For thou art the glory of their strength: and in thy loving-kindness thou shalt lift up our horns.

19 For the Lord is our defence: the holy One of Israel is our King.

20 Thou spakest sometime in visions unto thy saints, and saidst: I have laid help upon one that is mighty, I have exalted one chosen out of the people.

21 I have found David my servant: with my holy oil have I anointed him.

22 My hand shall hold him fast: and my arm shall strengthen him.

23 The enemy shall not be able to do him violence: the son of wickedness shall not hurt him.

24 I will smite down his foes before his face, and plague them that hate him.

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my covenant shall stand fast  
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30 His seed also will I  
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and his throne as the days  
of heaven.

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33 Nevertheless, my lov-  
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34 My covenant will I  
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my lips : I have sworn once  
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35 His seed shall endure  
for ever : and his seat is like  
as the sun before me.

36 He shall stand fast for  
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as the faithful witness in  
heaven.

37 But thou hast abhor-  
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38 Thou hast broken the  
covenant of thy servant :  
and cast his crown to the  
ground.

39 Thou hast overthrown  
all his hedges : and broken  
down his strong holds.

40 All they that go by  
spoil him : and he is become  
a reproach to his neigh-  
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46 O remember how short  
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47 What man is he that liveth,  
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48 Lord, where are thy  
old loving-kindnesses: which  
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thy truth?

49 Remember, Lord, the  
rebuke that thy servants have:  
& how I do bear in my bosom  
the rebukes of many people?

50 Wherewith thine enemies  
have blasphemed thee,  
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*Psaln 90.*

**L**ORD, thou hast been  
our refuge: from one  
generation to another.

2 Before the mountains  
were brought forth, or ever  
the earth and the world  
were made: thou art God  
from everlasting, and world  
without end.

3 Thou turnest man to  
distractedness: again, thou sayest,  
Come again, ye children  
of men.

4 For a thousand years in  
thy sight are but as yesterday:  
seeing that is past as a  
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5 As soon as thou scatterest  
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6 In the morning it is  
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dried up, and withered.

7 For we consume away in  
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8 Thou hast set our misdeeds  
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11 For he shall give his angels charge over thee ; to keep thee in all thy ways.

12 They shall bear thee in their hands : that thou hurt not thy foot against a stone.

13 Thou shalt go upon the lion and adder ; the young lion and the dragon shalt thou tread under thy feet.

14 Because he hath set his love upon me, therefore will I deliver him ; I will set him up, because he hath known my name.

15 He shall call upon me, and I will hear him ; Yea, I am with him in trouble ; I will deliver him, and bring him to honour.

16 With long life will I satisfy him ; and shew him my salvation.

*Psalm 92.*

**I**T is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord ; and to sing praises unto thy

name, O most Highest ;

2 To tell of thy loving-kindness early in the morning ; and of thy truth in the night-season ;

3 Upon an instrument of ten strings, and upon the lute ; upon a loud instrument, and upon the harp.

4 For thou, Lord, hast made me glad through thy works ; and I will rejoice in giving praise for the operations of thy hands.

5 O Lord how glorious are thy works ; thy thoughts are very deep.

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3 Lord, how long shall the ungodly ; how long shall the ungodly triumph ?

4 How long shall all wicked doers speak so disdainfully ; and make such proud boasting ?

5 They smite down thy people, O Lord ; and trouble thine heritage.

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6 They murder the widow and the stranger ; and put the fatherless to death.

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7 And yet they say, Tush, who will take my part against the evil doers ?  
the Lord shall not see ;  
neither shall the God of Jacob regard it.

8 Take heed, ye unwise among the people : O ye fools, when will ye understand ?

9 He that planted the ear, shall he not hear : or he that made the eye, shall he not see ?

10 Or he that nurtureth the heathen : it is he that teacheth man knowledge, shall not he punish ?

11 The Lord knoweth the thoughts of man : that they are but vain.

12 Blessed is the man whom thou chastenest, O Lord ; and teachest him in thy law.

13 That thou mayest give him patience in time of adversity : until the pit be digged up for the ungodly,

14 For the Lord will not fail his people : neither will he forsake his inheritance ;

15 Until righteousness turn again unto judgment : all such as are true in heart shall follow it.

16 Who will rise up with me against the wicked : or

17 If the Lord had not helped me : it had not failed, but my soul had been put to silence.

18 But when I said, My foot hath slipped ; thy mercy, O Lord, held me up.

19 In the multitude of the sorrows that I had in my hearts : thy comforts have refreshed my soul.

20 Wilt thou have any thing to do with the stool of wickedness : which imagineth mischief as a law ?

21 They gather them together against the soul of the righteous : and condemn the innocent blood.

22 But the Lord is my refuge : and my God is the strength of my confidence.

23 He shall recompence them their wickedness, and destroy them in their own malice ; yea, the Lord our God shall destroy them.

*Morning Prayer.*

*Psalms 95.*

**O** Come, let us sing unto the Lord : let us heartily rejoice in the strength

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strength of our salvation.

2 Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving; and shew ourselves glad in him with psalms.

3 For the Lord is a great God; and a great King above all gods.

4 In his hand are all the corners of the earth; and the strength of the hills is his also.

5 The sea is his, and he made it: and his hands prepared the dry land.

6 O come, let us worship and fall down: and kneel before the Lord our Maker.

7 For he is the Lord our God; and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

8 To-day if you will hear his voice, harden not your hearts; as in the provocation, and as in the day of temptation in the wilderness;

9 When your fathers tempted me: proved me, and saw my works.

10 Forty years long was I grieved with this generation, and said: It is a people that do err in their hearts, for they have not

known my ways;

11 Unto whom I swear in my wrath: that they should not enter into my rest.

*Psalms 96.*

**O** Sing unto the Lord a new song: sing unto the Lord, all the whole earth.

2 Sing unto the Lord, and praise his name: be telling of his salvation from day to day.

3 Declare his honour unto the heathen: and his wonders unto all the people.

4 For the Lord is great, and cannot worthily be praised: he is more to be feared than all gods.

5 As for all the gods of the heathen, they are but idols: but it is the Lord that made the heavens.

6 Glory and worship are before him: power and honour are in his sanctuary.

7 Ascribe unto the Lord O ye kindreds of the people: ascribe unto the Lord worship and power,

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7 And yet they say, Tush, who will take my part against the evil doers ?  
the Lord shall not see ;  
neither shall the God of Jacob regard it.

8 Take heed, ye unwise among the people : O ye fools, when will ye understand ?

9 He that planted the ear, shall he not hear : or he that made the eye, shall he not see ?

10 Or he that nurtureth the heathen : it is he that teacheth man knowledge, shall not he punish ?

11 The Lord knoweth the thoughts of man : that they are but vain.

12 Blessed is the man whom thou chastenest, O Lord ; and teachest him in thy law.

13 That thou mayest give him patience in time of adversity : until the pit be digged up for the ungodly,

14 For the Lord will not fail his people : neither will he forsake his inheritance ;

15 Until righteousness turn again unto judgment : all such as are true in heart shall follow it.

16 Who will rise up with me against the wicked : or

17 If the Lord had not helped me : it had not failed, but my soul had been put to silence.

18 But when I said, My foot hath slipped ; thy mercy, O Lord, held me up.

19 In the multitude of the sorrows that I had in my hearts : thy comforts have refreshed my soul.

20 Wilt thou have any thing to do with the stool of wickedness : which imagineth mischief as a law ?

21 They gather them together against the soul of the righteous ; and condemn the innocent blood.

22 But the Lord is my refuge : and my God is the strength of my confidence.

23 He shall recompence them their wickedness, and destroy them in their own malice ; yea, the Lord our God shall destroy them.

*Morning Prayer.*

*Psalms 95.*

**O** Come, let us sing unto the Lord : let us heartily rejoice in the strength

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strength of our salvation.

2 Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving; and shew ourselves glad in him with psalms.

3 For the Lord is a great God; and a great King above all gods.

4 In his hand are all the corners of the earth; and the strength of the hills is his also.

5 The sea is his, and he made it: and his hands prepared the dry land.

6 O come, let us worship and fall down: and kneel before the Lord our Maker.

7 For he is the Lord our God; and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

8 To-day if you will hear his voice, harden not your hearts; as in the provocation, and as in the day of temptation in the wilderness;

9 When your fathers tempted me: proved me, and saw my works.

10 Forty years long was I grieved with this generation, and said: It is a people that do err in their hearts, for they have not

known my ways;

11 Unto whom I swear in my wrath: that they should not enter into my rest.

*Psalm 96.*

**O** Sing unto the Lord a new song: sing unto the Lord, all the whole earth.

2 Sing unto the Lord, and praise his name: be telling of his salvation from day to day.

3 Declare his honour unto the heathen: and his wonders unto all the people.

4 For the Lord is great, and cannot worthily be praised: he is more to be feared than all gods.

5 As for all the gods of the heathen, they are but idols: but it is the Lord that made the heavens.

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come into his courts.

9 O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness; let the whole earth stand in awe of him.

10 Tell it out among the heathen, that the Lord is King; and that it is he who hath made the round world so fast that it cannot be moved, and how that he shall judge the people righteously.

11 Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad; let the sea make a noise, and all that therein is.

12 Let the field be joyful, and all that is in it; then shall all the trees of the wood rejoice before the Lord.

13 For he cometh, for he cometh to judge the earth; and with righteousness to judge the world, and the people with his truth.

*Psalms 97.*

**T**HE Lord is King, the earth may be glad thereof; yea, the multitude of the isles may be glad thereof.

2 Clouds and darkness are round about him; righte-

ousness and judgment are the habitation of his seat.

3 There shall go a fire before him: and burn up his enemies on every side.

4 His lightnings gave shine unto the world; the earth saw it, and was afraid.

5 The hills melted like wax at the presence of the Lord: at the presence of the Lord of the whole earth.

6 The heavens have declared his righteousness: and all the people have seen his glory.

7 Confounded be all they that worship carved images, and that delight in vain gods; worship him, all ye gods.

8 Sion heard of it, and rejoiced; and the daughters of Judah were glad because of thy judgments, O Lord.

9 For thou, Lord, art higher than all that are in the earth: thou art exalted far above all gods.

10 O ye that love the Lord, see that ye hate the thing which is evil: the Lord preserveth the souls of his saints; he shall deliver them

them from the hand of the  
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11 There is sprung up a  
light for the righteous : and  
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12 Rejoice in the Lord,  
ye righteous : and give  
thanks for a remembrance  
of his holiness.

*Evening Prayer.*

*Psalms 98.*

**O** Sing unto the Lord a  
new song : for he hath  
done marvellous things.

2 With his own right  
hand, and with his holy  
arm : hath he gotten himself  
the victory.

3 The Lord declared his  
salvation : his righteousness  
hath he openly shewed in  
the sight of the heathen.

4 He hath remembered his  
mercy and truth toward the  
house of Israel : and all the  
ends of the world have seen  
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5 Shew yourselves joy-  
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6 Praise the Lord upon  
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7 With trumpets also and  
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3 They shall give thanks  
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5 O magnify the Lord our God : and fall down before his footstool, for he is holy.

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7 He spake unto them out of the cloudy pillar : for they kept his testimonies and the law that he gave them.

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9 O magnify the Lord our God, and worship him upon his holy hill : for the Lord our God is holy.

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3 When wilt thou come unto me : I will walk in my house with a perfect heart.

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5 A froward heart shall depart from me : I will not know a wicked person.

6 Whoso privily slandereth his neighbour : him will I destroy.

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8 Mine eyes look upon such as are faithful in the land: that they may dwell with me.

9 Whoſo leadeth a godly life; he ſhall be my ſervant.

10 There ſhall no deceitful perſon dwell in my houſe: he that telleth lies, ſhall not tarry in my ſight.

11 I ſhall ſoon deſtroy all the ungodly that are in the land: that I may root out all wicked doers from the city of the Lord.

*Morning Prayer.*

*Pſalm 102.*

**H**E A R my prayer, O Lord: and let my crying come unto thee.

2 Hide not thy face from me in the time of my trouble: incline thine ear unto me when I call, O hear me, and that right ſoon.

3 For my days are conſumed away like ſmoke: and my bones are burnt up as it were a fire-brand.

4 My heart is ſmitten down, and withered like graſs: ſo that I forget to eat my bread.

5 For the voice of my groaning: my bones will ſcarce cleave to my fleſh.

6 I am become like a pelican in the wilderneſs: and like an owl that is in the deſert.

7 I have watched, and am even as it were a ſparrow: that ſitteth alone upon the houſe-top.

8 Mine enemies revile me all the day long: and they that are mad upon me, are ſworn together againſt me.

9 For I have eaten aſhes as it were bread: and mingled my drink with weeping;

10 And that becauſe of thine indignation and wrath; for thou haſt taken me up, and caſt me down.

11 My days are gone like a ſhadow: and I am withered like graſs.

12 But thou, O Lord, ſhalt endure for ever: and thy remembrance throughout all generations.

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5 Who satisfieth thy mouth with good things: making thee young and lusty as an eagle.

6 The Lord executeth righteousness and judgment: for all them that are oppressed with wrong.

7 He shewed his ways unto Moses: his works unto the children of Israel.

8 The Lord is full of compassion and mercy; long-suffering, and of great goodness.

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11 For look, how high the heaven is in comparison of the earth: so great is his mercy also toward them that fear him.

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13 Yea, like as a father pitieth his own children: even so is the Lord merciful unto them that fear him.

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15 The days of man are but as grafs: for he flourisheth as a flower of the field.

16 For as soon as the wind goeth over it, it is gone: and the place thereof shall know it no more.

17 But the merciful goodness of the Lord endureth for ever and ever upon them that fear him: and his righteousness upon childrens children;

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19 The Lord hath prepared his seat in heaven: and his kingdom ruleth over all.

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*Evening Prayer.*

*Psaln 104.*

**P**Raise the Lord, O my soul : O Lord my God, thou art become exceeding glorious, thou art clothed with majesty and honour.

2 Thou deckest thy self with light as it were with a garment : and spreadest out the heavens like a curtain.

3 Who layeth the beams of his chambers in the waters : and maketh the clouds his chariot, and walketh upon the wings of the wind.

4 He maketh his angels spirits : and his ministers a flaming fire.

5 He laid the foundations of the earth : that it never should move at any time.

6 Thou coveredst it with the deep like as with a gar-

ment : the waters stand in the hills.

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8 They go up as high as the hills, and down to the valleys beneath : even unto the place which thou hast appointed for them.

9 Thou hast set them their bounds which they shall not pass : neither turn again to cover the earth.

10 He sendeth the springs into the rivers : which run amongs the hills.

11 All the beasts of the field drink thereof : and the wild asses quench their thirst.

12 Beside them shall the fowls of the air have their habitation : and sing among the branches.

13 He watereth the hills from above : the earth is filled with the fruit of thy works.

14 He bringeth forth grafs for the cattle : and green herbs for the service of men.

15 That he may bring food out of the earth, and wine that maketh glad the hearth of man : and oil to

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make him a cheerful countenance, & bread to strengthen man's heart.

16 The trees of the Lord also are full of sap: even the cedars of Libanus which he hath planted.

17 Wherein the birds make their nests: and the fir-trees are a dwelling for the stork.

18 The high hills are a refuge for the wild goats: and so are the stony rocks for the conies.

19 He appointed the moon for certain seasons: and the sun knoweth his going down.

20 Thou makest darkness that it may be night: wherein all the beasts of the forest do move.

21 The lions roaring after their prey: do seek their meat from God.

22 The sun ariseth, and they get them away together: and lay them down in their dens.

23 Man goeth forth to his work, and to his labour: until the evening

24 O Lord, how manifold are thy works: in wisdom hast thou made

them all, the earth is full of thy riches?

25 So is the great and wide sea also: wherein are things creeping innumerable, both small and great beasts.

26 There go the ships, and there is that Leviathan: whom thou hast made to take his pastime therein.

27 These wait all upon thee: that thou mayest give them meat in due season.

28 When thou givest it them, they gather it: and when thou openest thy hand, they are filled with good.

29 When thou hidest thy face, they are troubled: when thou takest away their breath, they die, and are turned again to their dust.

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11 All the beasts of the field drink thereof: and the wild asses quench their thirst.

12 Beside them shall the fowls of the air have their habitation: and sing among the branches.

13 He watereth the hills from above: the earth is filled with the fruit of thy works.

14 He bringeth forth grafs for the cattle: and green herbs for the service of men.

15 That he may bring food out of the earth, and wine that maketh glad the hearth of man: and oil to make

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make him a cheerful countenance, & bread to strengthen man's heart.

16 The trees of the Lord also are full of sap: even the cedars of Libanus which he hath planted.

17 Wherein the birds make their nests: and the fir-trees are a dwelling for the stork.

18 The high hills are a refuge for the wild goats: and so are the stony rocks for the conies.

19 He appointed the moon for certain seasons: and the sun knoweth his going down.

20 Thou makest darkness that it may be night: wherein all the beasts of the forest do move.

21 The lions roaring after their prey: do seek their meat from God.

22 The sun ariseth, and they get them away together: and lay them down in their dens.

23 Man goeth forth to his work, and to his labour: until the evening

24 O Lord, how manifold are thy works: in wisdom hast thou made

them all, the earth is full of thy riches?

25 So is the great and wide sea also: wherein are things creeping innumerable, both small and great beasts.

26 There go the ships, and there is that Leviathan: whom thou hast made to take his pastime therein.

27 These wait all upon thee: that thou mayest give them meat in due season.

28 When thou givest it them, they gather it: and when thou openest thy hand, they are filled with good.

29 When thou hidest thy face, they are troubled: when thou takest away their breath, they die, and are turned again to their dust.

30 When thou lettest thy breath go forth, they shall be made: and thou shalt renew the face of the earth.

31 The glorious majesty of the Lord shall endure for ever: the Lord shall rejoice in his works.

32 The earth shall tremble at the look of him; if

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if he do but touch the hills, they shall smoke.

33 I will sing unto thee Lord as long as I live : I will praise my God while I have my being.

34 And so shall my words please him ; my joy shall be in the Lord.

35 As for sinners, they shall be consumed out of the earth, and the ungodly shall come to an end ; praise thou the Lord, O my soul, praise the Lord.

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*Psaln 105.*

**O** Give thanks unto the Lord, and call upon his name : tell the people what things he hath done :

2 O let your songs be of him, and praise him : and let your talking be of all his wondrous works.

3 Rejoice in his holy name ; let the heart of them rejoice that seek the Lord.

4 Seek the Lord and his strength : seek his face evermore.

5 Remember the marvellous works that he hath

done : his wonders, and the judgments of his mouth ;

6 O ye seed of Abraham his servants ; ye children of Jacob his chosen.

7 He is the Lord our God : his judgments are in all the world.

8 He hath been always mindful of his covenant and promise, that he made to a thousand generations ;

7 Even the covenant that he made with Abraham ; and the oath that he sware unto Isaac ;

10 And appointed the same unto Jacob for a law : and to Israel for an everlasting testament,

11 Saying, Unto thee will I give the land of Canaan : the lot of your inheritance.

12 When there were yet but a few of them ; and they strangers in the land.

13 What time as they went from one nation to another ; from one kingdom to another people ;

14 He suffered no man to do them wrong ; but reproved even kings for their sakes.

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nointed : and do my prophets no harm.

16 Moreover, he called for a dearth upon the land : and destroyed all the provision of bread.

17 But he had sent a man before them ; even Joseph, who was sold to be a bond-servant ;

18 Whose feet they hurt in the stocks : the iron entered into his soul ;

19 Until the time came that his cause was known : the word of the Lord tried him.

20 The king sent and delivered him : the prince of the people let him go free.

21 He made him lord also of his house ; and ruler of all his substance.

22 That he might inform his princes after his will ; and teach his senators wisdom.

23 Israel also came into Egypt ; and Jacob was a stranger in the land of Ham.

24 And he increased his people exceedingly ; and made them stronger than their enemies ;

25 Whose heart turned

so, that they hated his people ; and dealt untruly with his servants.

26 Then sent he Moses his servant : and Aaron whom he had chosen.

27 And these shewed his tokens among them : and wonders in the land of Ham.

28 He sent darkness, and it was dark : and they were not obedient unto his word.

29 He turned their waters into blood : and slew their fish.

30 Their land brought forth frogs : yea, even in their kings chambers.

31 He spake the word, and there came all manner of flies ; and lice in all their quarters.

32 He gave them hail-stones for rain ; and flames of fire in their land.

33 He smote their vines also and fig-trees ; and destroyed the trees that were in their coasts.

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35 He smote all the first-born in their land : even the chief of all their strength.

36 He brought them forth also with silver and gold : there was not one feeble person among their tribes.

37 Egypt was glad at their departing : for they were afraid of them.

38 He spread out a cloud to be a covering ; and fire to give light in the night-season.

39 At their desire he brought quails : and he filled them with the bread of heaven.

40 He opened the rock of stone, and the waters flowed out : so that rivers ran in the dry places.

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42 And he brought forth his people with joy : and his chosen with gladness ;

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44 That they might keep

*Evening Prayer.*

*Psalms 106.*

**O** Give thanks unto the Lord, for he is gracious ; and his mercy endureth for ever.

2 Who can express the noble acts of the Lord : or shew forth all his praise ?

3 Blessed are they that alway keep judgment : and do righteousness.

4 Remember me, O Lord according to the favour that thou bearest unto thy people : O visit me with thy salvation.

5 That I may see the felicity of thy chosen : and rejoice in the gladness of thy people, and give thanks with thine inheritance.

6 We have sinned with our fathers : and have done amiss, and dealt wickedly.

7 Our fathers regarded not thy wonders in Egypt : neither kept they thy greatness in remembrance : but were disobedient at the sea, even at the red-sea.

8 Never

8 Nevertheless, he hel'ped them for his name's sake: that he might make his power to be known.

9 He rebuked the red-sea also, and it was dried up: so he led them through the deep, as through a wilderness.

10 And he saved them from the adversaries hand: and delivered them from the hand of the enemy.

11 As for those that troubled them, the waters overwhelmed them: there was not one of them left.

12 Then believed they his words: and sang praise unto him.

13 But within a while they forgot his works: and would not abide his counsel.

14 But lust came upon them in the wilderness: and they tempted God in the desert.

15 And he gave them their desire: and sent lean-ness withal into their soul.

16 They angered Moses also in the tents: and Aaron the saints of the Lord.

17 So the earth opened, and swallowed up Dathan: and covered the congregation of Abiram.

18 And the fire was kindled in their company: the flame burnt up the ungodly.

19 They made a calf in Horeb: and worshipped the molten image.

20 Thus they turned their glory: into the similitude of a calf that eateth hay.

21 And they forgot God their Saviour: who had done so great things in Egypt;

22 Wondrous works in the land of Ham: and fearful things by the red-sea,

23 So he said he would have destroyed them, had not Moses his chosen stood before him in the gap: to turn away his wrathful indignation, lest he should destroy them.

24 Yea, they thought scorn of that pleasant land: and gave no credence unto his word.

25 But murmured in their tents; and hearkned not unto the voice of the Lord.

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27 To cast out their seed among the nations : and to scatter them in the lands.

28 They joined themselves unto Baal-peor : and ate the offerings of the dead.

29 Thus they provoked him to anger with their own inventions ; and the plague was great among them.

30 Then stood up Phineas and prayed ; and so the plague ceased.

31 And that was counted unto him for righteousness ; among all posterities for evermore.

32 They angered him also at the waters of strife ; so that he punished Moses for their sakes.

33 Because they provoked his spirit ; so that he spake unadvisedly with his lips.

34 Neither destroyed they the heathen ; as the Lord commanded them ;

35 But were mingled among the heathen : and learned their works.

36 Inasmuch that they worshipped their idols, which turned to their own decay ; yea, they offered their sons

37 And shed innocent blood, even the blood of their sons and of their daughters ; whom they offered unto the idols of Canaan, and the land was defiled with blood.

38 Thus were they stained with their own works ; and went a whoring with their own inventions.

39 Therefore was the wrath of the Lord kindled against his people ; inasmuch that he abhorred his own inheritance ;

40 And he gave them over into the hand of the heathen ; and they that hated them, were lords over them.

41 Their enemies oppressed them ; and had them in subjection.

42 Many a time did he deliver them ; but they rebelled against him with their own inventions, and were brought down in their wickedness.

43 Nevertheless, when he saw their adversity ; he heard their complaint.

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23 They that go down

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24 These men see the works of the Lord: and his wonders in the deep.

25 For at his word the stormy wind ariseth: which lifteth up the waves thereof.

26 They are carried up to the heaven, and down again to the deep: their soul melteth away because of the trouble.

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35 Again, he maketh the wilderness a standing water ; and water-springs of a dry ground.

36 And there he setteth the hungry : that they may build them a city to dwell in.

37 That they may sow their land, and plant vineyards : to yield them fruits of increase.

38 He blesteth them, so that they multiply exceedingly ; & suffereth not their cattle to decrease.

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3 I will give thanks unto thee, O Lord, among the people : I will sing praise unto thee among the nations.

4 For thy mercy is greater than the heavens : and thy truth reacheth unto the clouds.

5 Set up thyself, O God, above the heavens ; and thy glory above all the earth.

6 That thy beloved may be delivered : let thy right hand save them, and hear thou me.

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our hosts?

12 O help us against the  
enemy: for vain is the help  
of man.

13 Through God we shall  
do great acts: & it is he that  
shall tread down his enemies.

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2 And they have spoken  
against me with false  
tongues: they compassed  
me about also with words of  
hatred, and fought against  
me without a cause.

3 For the love that I had  
unto them, lo, they take  
now my contrary part: but  
I give myself unto prayer.

4 Thus have they reward-  
ed me evil for good: and

hatred for my good-will.

5 Set thou an ungodly  
man to be ruler over him:  
and let Satan stand at his  
right hand.

6 When sentence is given  
upon him, let him be con-  
demned: and let his prayer  
be turned into sin.

7 Let his days be few: and  
let another take his office.

8 Let his children be father-  
less: and his wife a widow.

9 Let his children be  
vagabonds, and beg their  
bread: let them seek it also  
out of desolate places.

10 Let the extortioner  
consume all that he hath,  
and let the stranger spoil his  
labour.

11 Let there be no man  
to pity him: nor to have  
compassion upon his father-  
less children.

12 Let his posterity be  
destroyed: and in the next  
generation let his name be  
clean put out.

13 Let the wickedness of  
his fathers be had in re-  
membrance in the sight of  
the Lord: and let not the  
sin of his mother be do-  
away.

14 Let them alway be  
before the Lord: that he may

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root out the memorial of  
them from off the earth.

15 And that because his  
mind was not to do good :  
but persecuted the poor  
helpless man, that he might  
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the heart.

16 His delight was in curs-  
ing, and it shall happen unto  
him : he loved not blessing,  
therefore shall it be far from  
him.

17 He clothed himself  
with cursing, like as with a  
raiment : and it shall come  
into his bowels like water,  
and like oil into his bones.

18 Let it be unto him as  
the cloak that he hath upon  
him ; and as the girdle that  
he is alway girded withal.

19 Let it thus happen  
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speak evil against my soul.

20 But deal thou with me,  
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thy name : for sweet is thy  
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21 O deliver me, for I am  
helpless and poor : and my  
heart is wounded within me.

22 I go hence like the  
shadow that departeth : and  
am driven away as the grass  
withereth.

23 My knees are weak  
through fasting, my flesh is  
dried up for want of fatness.

24 I became also a re-  
proach unto them ; they that  
looked upon me, shaked  
their heads.

25 Help me, O Lord my  
God ; O save me according  
to thy mercy.

26 And they shall know,  
how that this is thy hand ;  
and that thou, Lord, hast  
done it.

27 Tho' they curse, yet  
bless thou : and let them be  
confounded that rise up  
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28 Let mine adversaries  
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enemies thy foot-stool.

2 The Lord shall send the rod of thy power out of Sion : be thou ruler, even in the midst among thine enemies.

3 In the day of thy power, shall the people offer thee free-will offerings with an holy worship : the dew of thy birth is of the womb of the morning.

4 The Lord sware, and will not repent : Thou art a priest for ever after the order of Melchisedeck.

5 The Lord upon thy right hand : shall wound even kings in the day of his wrath.

6 He shall judge among the heathen ; he shall fill the places with the dead bodies ; and smite in sunder the heads over divers countries.

7 He shall drink of the brook in the way : therefore shall he lift up his head.

*Psaln 111.*

**I** Will give thanks unto the Lord with my whole heart : secretly among the faithful, and in the congregation.

2 The works of the Lord are great : sought out of all them that have pleasure therein.

3 His work is worthy to

be praised and had in honour, and his righteousness endureth for ever.

4 The merciful and gracious Lord hath so done his marvellous works ; that they ought to be had in remembrance.

5 He hath given meat unto them that fear him ; he shall ever be mindful of his covenant.

6 He hath shewed his people the power of his works ; that he may give them the heritage of the heathen.

7 The works of his hands are verity and judgment ; all his commandments are true.

8 They stand fast for ever and ever : and are done in truth and equity.

9 He sent redemption unto his people, he hath commanded his covenant for ever : holy & reverend is his name.

10 The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom : a good understanding have all they that do thereafter : the praise of it endureth for ever.

*Psaln 112.*

**B**lessed is the man that feareth the Lord ; he hath

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hath great delight in his commandments.

2 His seed shall be mighty upon earth : the generation of the faithful shall be blessed.

3 Riches and plenteousness shall be in his house : and his righteousness endureth for ever.

4 Unto the godly there ariseth up light in the darkness ; he is merciful, loving, and righteous.

5 A good man is merciful, and lendeth ; and will guide his words with discretion.

6 For he shall never be moved : and the righteous shall be had in everlasting remembrance.

7 He will not be afraid of any evil tidings ; for his heart standeth fast, and believeth in the Lord.

8 His heart is established and will not shrink : until he see his desire upon his enemies.

9 He hath dispersed abroad, and given to the poor ; and his righteousness remaineth for ever ; his horn shall be exalted with honour.

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*Psalms 113.*

**P**Raise the Lord, ye servants : O praise the name of the Lord,

2 Blessed be the name of the Lord : from this time forth for evermore.

3 The Lord's name is praised : from the rising up of the sun, until the going down of the same.

4 The Lord is high above all heathen : and his glory above the heavens.

5 Who is like unto the Lord our God, that hath his dwelling so high : and yet humbleth himself to behold the things that are in heaven and earth ?

6 He taketh up the simple out of the dust : and lifteth the poor out of the mire.

7 That he may set him with the princes : even with the princes of his people.

8 He maketh the barren woman to keep house ; and to be a joyful mother of children.

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4 The mountains skipped like rams ; and the little hills like young sheep.

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7 Tremble thou earth at the presence of the Lord : at the presence of the God of Jacob.

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**N**OT unto us, O Lord, not unto us, but unto thy name give the praise ; for thy loving mercy, and for thy truth's sake.

2 Wherefore shall the heathen say : Where is now their God ?

3 As for our God, he is in heaven : he hath done whatsoever pleased him.

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and gold : even the work of mens hands.

5 They have mouths and speak not : eyes have they and see not.

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7 They have hands and handle not, feet have they and walk not : neither speak they through their throat.

8 They that make them are like unto them ; and so are all such as put their trust in them.

9 But thou, house of Israel, trust thou in the Lord : he is their succour and defence.

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16 All the whole heavens are the Lord's : the earth hath he given to the children of men.

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7 Turn again then unto thy rest, O my soul : for the Lord hath rewarded thee.

8 And why ? thou hast delivered my soul from death ; mine eyes from tears, and my feet from falling.

9 I will walk before the Lord : in the land of the living.

10 I believed, and therefore will I speak, but I was fore troubled : I said in my haste, all men are liars.

11 What reward shall I give unto the Lord ; for all these benefits that he hath done unto me ?

12 I will receive the cup of salvation : and call upon the name of the Lord.

13 I will pay my vows now in the presence of all his people : right dear in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints.

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2 Let Israel now confess that he is gracious: and that his mercy endureth for ever.

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22 The same stone which the builders refused ; is become the head-stone in the corner.

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24 This is the day which the Lord hath made ; we will rejoice and be glad in it.

25 Help me now, O Lord ; O Lord, send us now prosperity.

26 Blessed be he that cometh in the name of the Lord ; we have wished you good luck, ye that are of the house of the Lord.

27 God is the Lord, who hath shewed us light ; bind the sacrifice with cords, yea, even unto the horns of the altar.

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6 I have had as great delight in the way of thy testimonies: as in all manner of riches.

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8 My delight shall be in thy statutes; and I will not forget thy word.

**O** Do well unto thy servant that I may live, and keep thy word.

2 Open thou mine eyes that I may see the wondrous things of thy law.

3 I am a stranger upon earth; O hid not thy commandments from me.

4 My soul breaketh out for the very fervent desire: that it hath alway unto thy judgments.

5 Thou hast rebuked the proud; and cursed are they that do err from thy commandments.

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6 I have chosen the way of truth; and thy judgments have I laid before me.

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8 I will run the way of thy commandments; when thou hast set my heart at liberty.

*Morning Prayer.*

**T**Each me, O Lord, the way of thy statutes: & I shall keep it unto the end.

2 Give me understanding, and I shall keep thy law: yea, I shall keep it with my whole heart.

3 Make me to go in the path of thy commandments: for therein is my desire.

4 Incline my heart unto thy testimonies: and not to covetousness.

5 O turn away mine eyes, lest they behold vanity: and quicken thou me in thy way.

6 O stablish thy word in thy servant: that I may fear thee.

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4 For I remembred thine everlasting judgments, O Lord : & received comfort.

5 I am horribly afraid ; for the ungodly that forsake thy law.

6 Thy statutes have been my songs ; in the house of my pilgrimage.

7 I have thought upon thy name, O Lord, in the night season ; and have kept thy law.

8 This I had ; because I kept thy commandments.

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2 I made my humble petition in thy presence with my whole heart ; O be merciful unto me according to thy word.

3 I called mine own ways to remembrance ; and turned my feet unto thy testimonies.

4 I made haste, and prolonged not the time ; to keep thy commandments.

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2 O learn me true understanding and knowledge ; for I have believed thy commandments.

3 Before I was troubled I went wrong ; but now have I kept thy word.

4 Thou art good and gracious ; O teach me thy statutes.

5 The proud have imagined a lie against me ; and I will keep thy commandments with my whole heart.

6 Their heart is as fat as brawn ; but my delight hath been in thy law.

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*Evening Prayer.*

**T**H Y hands have made me and fashioned me ; O give me understanding, that I may learn thy commandments.

2 They that fear thee will be glad when they see me : because I have put my trust in thy word.

3 I know, O Lord, that thy judgments are right : and that thou of very faithfulness hast caused me to be troubled.

4 O let thy merciful kindness be my comfort ; according to thy word unto thy servant.

5 O let thy loving mercies come unto me, that I may live : for thy law is my delight.

6 Let the proud be confounded, for they go wickedly about to destroy me : but I will be occupied in thy commandments.

7 Let such as fear thee, & have known thy testimonies : be turned unto me.

8 O let my heart be found in thy statutes : that I be not ashamed.

**M**Y soul hath longed for thy salvation : and I have a good hope because of thy word.

2 Mine eyes long sore for thy word : saying, O when wilt thou comfort me ?

3 For I am become like a bottle in the smoke : yet do I not forget thy statutes.

4 How many are the days of thy servant : when wilt thou be avenged of them that persecute me ?

5 The proud have digged pits for me : which are not after thy law.

6 All thy commandments are true : they persecute me falsely, O be thou my help.

7 They had almost made an end of me upon earth : but I forsook not thy commandments.

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5 My soul is always in my hand: yet do I not forget thy law.

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8 I have applied my heart to fulfil thy statutes alway: even unto the end.

*Month. The xxvj. day.*

**I** Hate them that imagine evil things : but thy law do I love.

2 Thou art my defence and shield : and my trust is in thy word.

3 Away from me, ye wicked : I will keep the commandments of my God.

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**I** Deal with the thing that is lawful and right : O give me not over unto mine oppressors.

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6 It is time for thee, Lord, to lay to thine hand : for they have destroyed thy law.

7 For I love thy commandments : above gold and precious stones.

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**T**H Y testimonies are wonderful : therefore doth my soul keep them.

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*Evening Prayer.*

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6 It grieveth me when I 8 I have kept thy com-  
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2 I am as glad of thy 5 Let thine hand help  
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3 As for lies, I hate and 6 I have longed for thy  
abhor them : but thy law saving health, O Lord : and  
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4 Seven times a day do I 7 O let my soul live, and  
praise thee : because of thy it shall praise thee : and thy  
righteous judgment. judgments shall help me.

5 Great is the peace that

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8 I have gone astray like a sheep that is lost; 'O seek thy servant, for I do not forget thy commandments.

*Morning Prayer.*

*Psalms 120.*

**W**hen I was in trouble, I called upon the Lord; and he heard me.

2 Deliver my soul, O Lord, from lying lips; and from a deceitful tongue.

3 What reward shall be given or done unto thee, thou false tongue; even, mighty and sharp arrows, with hot burning coals.

4 Wo is me, that I am constrained to dwell with Melech; and to have my habitation among the tents of Kedar.

5 My soul hath long dwelt among them; that are enemies unto peace.

6 I labour for peace, but when I speak unto them thereof; they make them ready to battle.

*Psalms 121.*

**I** Will lift up mine eyes unto the hills; from whence cometh my help.

2 My help cometh even from the Lord; who hath made heaven and earth.

3 He will not suffer thy foot to be moved; and he that keepeth thee will not sleep.

4 Behold, he that keepeth Israel; shall neither slumber nor sleep.

5 The Lord himself is thy keeper; the Lord is thy defence upon thy right hand.

6 So that the sun shall not burn thee by day; neither the moon by night.

7 The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil; yea, it is even he that shall keep thy soul.

8 The Lord shall preserve thy going out, and thy coming in; from this time forth for evermore.

*Psalms 122.*

**I** Was glad when they said unto me; We will go into the house of the Lord.

2 Our feet shall stand in thy gates; O Jerusalem.

3 Jerusalem is built as a city; that is at unity in itself.

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**U**NTO thee lift I up mine eyes : O thou that dwellest in the heavens.

2 Behold even as the eyes of servants look unto the hands of their masters, and as the eyes of a maiden unto the hands of her mistress : even so our eyes wait upon the Lord our God until he have mercy upon us.

3 Have mercy upon us, O Lord, have mercy upon us : for we are utterly despised.

4 Our soul is filled with the scornful reproof of the wealthy : and with the despitefulness of the proud.

*Psalms 124.*

**I**F the Lord himself had not been on our side, how may Israel say : If the

Lord himself had not been on our side, when men rose up against us.

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3 Yea, the Waters had drowned us : and the Stream had gone over our soul.

4 The deep waters of the proud : had gone even over our soul.

5 But praised be the Lord : who hath not given us over for a prey unto their teeth.

6 Our soul is escaped even as a bird out of the snare of the fowler : the snare is broken, and we are delivered.

7 Our help standeth in the name of the Lord : who hath made heaven and earth.

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2 The hills stand about Jerusalem : even so standeth the Lord round about his people, from this time forth for evermore.

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8 I have gone astray like a sheep that is lost; 'O seek thy servant, for I do not forget thy commandments.

*Morning Prayer.*

*Psaln 120.*

**W**hen I was in trouble, I called upon the Lord; and he heard me.

2 Deliver my soul, O Lord, from lying lips; and from a deceitful tongue.

3 What reward shall be given or done unto thee, thou false tongue; even, mighty and sharp arrows, with hot burning coals.

4 Wo is me, that I am constrained to dwell with Melech; and to have my habitation among the tents of Kedar.

5 My soul hath long dwelt among them; that are enemies unto peace.

6 I labour for peace, but when I speak unto them thereof; they make them ready to battle.

*Psaln 121.*

**I** Will lift up mine eyes unto the hills; from whence cometh my help.

2 My help cometh even from the Lord; who hath made heaven and earth.

3 He will not suffer thy foot to be moved; and he that keepeth thee will not sleep.

4 Behold, he that keepeth Israel; shall neither slumber nor sleep.

5 The Lord himself is thy keeper; the Lord is thy defence upon thy right hand.

6 So that the sun shall not burn thee by day; neither the moon by night.

7 The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil; yea, it is even he that shall keep thy soul.

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2 Then was our mouth filled with laughter : and our tongue with joy.

3 Then said they among the heathen : the Lord hath done great things for them.

4 Yea, the Lord hath done great things for us already : whereof we rejoyce.

5 Turn our captivity, O Lord ; as the rivers in the south.

6 They that sow in tears : shall reap in joy.

7 He that now goeth on his way weeping, and beareth forth good seed : shall doubtless come again with joy, and bring his sheaves with him.

*Psaln 127.*

**E**Xcept the Lord build the house ; their labour is but lost that build it.

2 Except the Lord keep the city : the watchman waketh but in vain.

3 It is but lost labour that ye haste to rise up early, and so late take rest, and eat the bread of carefulness : for so he giveth his beloved sleep.

4 Lo, Children, and the fruit of the womb : are an heritage and gift that cometh of the Lord.

5 Like as the arrows in the hand of the giant ; even so are the young children.

6 Happy is the man that hath his quiver full of them ; they shall not be ashamed when they speak with their enemies in the gate.

*Psaln 128.*

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2 For thou shalt eat the labours of thine hands : O well is thee, and happy shalt thou be.

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2 Yea, many a time have they vexed me from my youth up; but they have not prevailed against me.

3 The plowers plowed upon my back; and made long furrows.

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5 Let them be confounded & turned backward; as many as have evil-will at Sion.

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7 Whereof the mower

*Psalms 130.*

Lord

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2 O let thine ears consider well, the voice of my complaint.

3 If thou, Lord, wilt be extrem to mark what is done amiss; O Lord, who may abide it?

4 For there is mercy with thee; therefore shalt thou be feared.

5 I look for the Lord, my soul doth wait for him; in his word is my trust.

6 My soul fleeth unto the Lord; before the morning watch, I say, before the morning-watch.

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2 I do not exercise myself in great matters: which are too high for me.

3 But I refrain my soul, and keep it low, like as a child that is weaned from his mother: yea, my soul is even as a weaned child.

4 O Israel, trust in the Lord: from this time forth for evermore.

*Morning Prayer.*

*Psalms 132.*

**L**ord, remember David: and all his trouble.

2 How he sware unto the Lord: and vowed a vow unto the Almighty God of Jacob.

3 I will not come within the tabernacle of mine house: nor climb up into my bed;

4 I will not suffer mine eyes to sleep, nor mine eyelids to slumber: neither the temples of my head to take any rest.

5 Until I find out a place for the temple of the Lord: an habitation for the mighty God of Jacob.

6 Lo, we heard of the same at Ephratah: and found it in the wood.

7 We will go into his tabernacle: and fall low on our knees before his footstool.

8 Arise, O Lord, into thy resting-place: thou, and the ark of thy strength.

9 Let thy priests be clothed with righteousness: and let thy saints sing with joyfulness.

10 For thy servant David's sake: turn not away the presence of thine anointed.

11 The Lord hath made a faithful oath unto David: and he shall not shrink from it;

12 Of the fruit of thy body: shall I set upon thy seat.

13 If thy children will keep my covenant, and my testimonies that I shall learn them: their children also shall sit upon thy seat for evermore.

14 For the Lord hath chosen Sion to be an habitation for himself: he hath longed for her.

15 This shall be my rest for ever; here will I dwell: for I have a delight therein.

16 I will bless her victuals with increase: and will satisfy her poor with bread.

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4 How shall we sing the Lord's song: in a strange land?

5 If I forget thee, O Jerusalem: let my right hand forget her cunning.

6 If I do not remember thee, let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth: yea, if I prefer not Jerusalem in my mirth.

7 Remember the children of Edom, O Lord, in the day of Jerusalem: how they said, Down with it, down with it, even to the ground.

8 O daughter of Babylon wasted with misery; yea, happy shall he be that rewardeth thee as thou hast served us.

9 Blessed shall he be that taketh thy children: and throweth them against the stones.

*Psaln 138.*

**I** Will give thanks unto thee, O Lord, with my whole heart: even before

the gods will I sing praise unto thee.

2 I will worship toward thy holy temple, and praise thy name, because of thy loving-kindness and truth: for thou hast magnified thy name, and thy word above all things.

3 When I called upon thee, thou heardest me: and enduedst my soul with much strength.

4 All the kings of the earth shall praise thee, O Lord: for they have heard the words of thy mouth.

5 Yea, they shall sing in the ways of the Lord: that great is the glory of the Lord.

6 For though the Lord be high, yet hath he respect unto the lowly: as for the proud, he beholdeth them afar off.

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Morning Prayer.

*Psalm 139.*

**O** Lord, thou hast searched me out, and known me : thou knowest my down sitting, and mine uprising, thou understandest my thoughts long before.

2 Thou art about my path, and about my bed : and spiest out all my ways.

3 For lo, there is not a word in my tongue : but thou, O Lord, knowest it altogether.

4 Thou hast fashioned me behind and before : and laid thine hand upon me.

5 Such knowledge is too wonderful and excellent for me ; I cannot attain unto it.

6 Whither shall I go then from thy Spirit : or whither shall I go then from thy presence ?

7 If I climb up into heaven, thou art there : if I go down to hell, thou art there also.

8 If I take the wings of the morning : and remain in the uttermost parts of the sea ;

9 Even there also shall

thy hand lead me : and thy right hand shall hold me.

10 If I say, Peradventure the darkness shall cover me : then shall my night be turned to day.

11 Yea, the darkness is no darkness with thee, but the night is as clear as the day : the darkness and light to thee are both alike.

12 For my reins are thine : thou hast covered me in my mother's womb.

13 I will give thanks unto thee, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made : marvellous are thy works, and that my soul knoweth right well.

14 My bones are not hid from thee : tho' I be made secretly, and fashioned beneath in the earth.

15 Thine eyes did see my substance, yet being unperfect : and in thy book were all my members written ;

16 Which day by day were fashioned ; when as yet there was none of them.

17 How dear are thy counsels unto me, O God : O how great is the sum of them ?

18 If I tell them, they are more in number than the

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hanged them up: upon the trees that are therein.

3 For they that led us away captive, required of us then a song, and melody in our heaviness: Sing us one of the songs of Sion.

4 How shall we sing the Lord's song: in a strange land?

5 If I forget thee, O Jerusalem: let my right hand forget her cunning.

6 If I do not remember thee, let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth: yea, if I prefer not Jerusalem in my mirth.

7 Remember the children of Edom, O Lord, in the day of Jerusalem: how they said, Down with it, down with it, even to the ground.

8 O daughter of Babylon wasted with misery; yea, happy shall he be that rewardeth thee as thou hast served us.

9 Blessed shall he be that taketh thy children: and throweth them against the stones.

*Psalm 138.*

**I** Will give thanks unto thee, O Lord, with my whole heart: even before

the gods will I sing praise unto thee.

2 I will worship toward thy holy temple, and praise thy name, because of thy loving-kindness and truth: for thou hast magnified thy name, and thy word above all things.

3 When I called upon thee, thou heardest me: and enduedst my soul with much strength.

4 All the kings of the earth shall praise thee, O Lord: for they have heard the words of thy mouth.

5 Yea, they shall sing in the ways of the Lord: that great is the glory of the Lord.

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21 Do I not hate them, O Lord, that hate thee : and am I not grieved with those that rise up against thee ?

22 Yea, I hate them right sore : even as though they were mine enemies.

23 Try me, O God, and seek the ground of my heart : prove me, and examine my thoughts.

24 Look well if there be any way of wickedness in me : and lead me in the way everlasting.

*Psalms 140.*

**D**eliver me, O Lord, from the evil man : and preserve me from the wicked man.

2 Who imagine mischief in their hearts : and stir up strife all the day long.

3 They have sharpened their tongues like a serpent : adders poison is under their lips.

4 Keep me, O Lord, from the hands of the ungodly : preserve me from the wicked men, who are purposed to overthrow my goings.

5 The proud have laid a snare for me, and spread a net abroad with cords : yea, and set traps in my way.

6 I said unto the Lord, Thou art my God : hear the voice of my prayers, O Lord.

7 O Lord God, thou strength of my health : thou hast covered my head in the day of battle.

8 Let not the ungodly have his desire, O Lord : let not his mischievous imagination prosper, lest he be too proud.

9 Let the mischief of their own lips fall upon the head of them : that compass me about.

10 Let hot burning coals fall upon them : let them be cast into the fire, and into the pit, that they never rise up again.

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*Psalms 141.*

**L**ORD, I call upon thee, haste thee unto me : and consider my voice, when I cry unto thee.

2 Let my prayer be set forth in thy sight as the incense : and let the lifting up of my hands be an evening-sacrifice.

3 Set a watch, O Lord, before my mouth : and keep the door of my lips.

4 O let not mine heart be inclined to any evil thing : let me not be occupied in ungodly works with the men that work wickedness, lest I eat of such thing as please them.

5 Let the righteous rather smite me friendly : and reprove me.

6 But let not their precious balms break my head : yea, I will pray yet against their wickedness.

7 Let their judges be overthrown in stony places :

8 Our bones lie scattered before the pit : like as when on breaketh or heweth wood upon the earth.

9 But mine eyes look unto thee, O Lord God : in thee is my trust, O cast not out my soul.

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11 Let the ungodly fall into their own nets together : and let me ever escape them.

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7 Consider my complaint; for I am brought very low.

8 O deliver me from my persecutors: for they are too strong for me.

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**H**ear my prayer, O Lord, and consider my desire: hearken unto me for thy truth and righteousness sake.

2 And enter not into judgment with thy servant: for in thy sight shall no man living be justified.

3 For the enemy hath persecuted my soul, he hath smitten my life down to the ground: he hath laid me in the darkness, as the men that hath been long dead.

4 Therefore is my spirit vexed within me: and my heart within me is desolate.

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6 I stretch forth my hands unto thee: my soul gaspeth unto thee as a thirsty land.

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12 And of thy goodness slay mine enemies : and destroy all them that vex my soul, for I am thy servant.

*Morning Prayer.*

*Psalms 144.*

**B**lessed be the Lord my strength : who teacheth my hands to war, and my fingers to fight.

2 My hope and my fortress, my castle, and deliverer, my defender in whom I trust ; who subdueth my people that is under me.

3 Lord, what is man, that thou hast such respect unto him : or the son of man that thou so regardest him ?

4 Man is like a thing of nought : his time passeth away like a shadow.

5 Bow thy heavens. O Lord, and come down : touch the mountains, and they shall smoke.

6 Cast forth thy lightning and tear them ; shoot out thine arrows, and consume them.

7 Send down thine hand-

from above : deliver me, and take me out of the great waters from the hand of strange children :

8 Whose mouth talketh of vanity : and their right hand is a right hand of wickedness.

9 I will sing a new song unto thee, O God : and sing praises unto thee upon a ten-stringed lute.

10 Thou hast given victory unto kings : and hast delivered David thy servant from the peril of the sword.

11 Save me, and deliver me from the hand of strange children : whose mouth talketh of vanity, and their right hand is a right hand of iniquity.

12 That our sons may grow up as the young plants : and that our daughters may be as the polished corners of the temple.

13 That our garners may be full and plenteous with all manner of store : that our sheep may bring forth thousands and ten thousands in our streets.

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2 Every day will I give thanks unto thee: and praise thy name for ever and ever.

3 Great is the Lord, and marvellous, worthy to be praised: there is no end of his greatness.

4 One generation shall praise thy works unto another and declare thy power.

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13 Thy kingdom is an everlasting kingdom: and thy dominion endureth throughout all ages.

14 The Lord upholdeth all such as fall; and lifteth up all those that are down.

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*Psalms 146.*

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2 O put not your trust in princes, nor in any child of man : for there is no help in them.

3 For when the breath of man goeth forth, he shall turn again to his earth : and then all his thoughts perish.

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5 Great is our Lord, and great is his power : yea, and his wisdom is infinite.

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7 O sing unto the Lord with thanksgiving : sing praises upon the harp unto our God.

8 Who covereth the heavens with clouds, and prepareth rain for the earth : and maketh the grafs to grow upon the mountains, and herb for the use of men.

9 Who giveth fodder unto the cattle : and feedeth the young ravens that call upon him.

10 He hath no pleasure in the strength of an horse : neither delighteth he in any man's legs.

11 But the Lord's delight is in them that fear him : and put their trust in his mercy.

12 Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem : praise thy God, O Sion.

13 For he hath made fast the bars of thy gates : and hath blessed thy children within thee.

14 He maketh peace in thy borders : and filleth thee with the flour of wheat.

15 He sendeth forth his commandment upon earth : and his word runneth very swiftly.

16 He giveth snow like wool : and scattereth the hoar-frost like ashes.

17 He casteth forth his ice like morsels : who is able to abide his frost ?

18 He sendeth out his word, and melteth them : he bloweth with his wind, and the waters flow.

19 He sheweth his word unto Jacob : his statutes and ordinances unto Israel.

20 He hath not dealt so with any nation : neither have the heathen knowledge of his laws.

*Psalme 148.*

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2 Praise him, all ye angels of his : praise him, all his host.

3 Praise him, sun and moon : praise him all ye stars and light.

4 Praise him, all ye heavens : and ye waters that are above the heavens.

5 Let them praise the name of the Lord : for he spake the word, and they were made, he commanded, and they were created.

6 He hath made them fast for ever and ever : he hath given them a law which shall not be broken.

7 Praise the Lord upon earth : ye dragons and all deeps ;

8 Fire and hail, snow and vapours : wind and storm, fulfilling his word ;

9 Mountains and all hills : fruitful trees and all cedars ;

10 Beasts and all cattle : worms and feathered fowls ;

11 Kings of the earth, and all people : princes and all the judges of the world.

12 Young men and mai-

dens, old men and children, praise the name of the Lord : for his name only is excellent, and his praise above heaven and earth.

13 He shall exalt the horn of his people, all his saints shall praise him : even the children of Israel, even the people that serveth him.

*Psalms 149.*

**O** Sing unto the Lord a new song ; let the congregation of saints praise him.

2 Let Israel rejoice in him that made him : and let the children of Sion be joyful in their King.

3 Let them praise his name in the dance : let them sing praises unto him with tabret and harp.

4 For the Lord hath pleasure in his people : and helpeth the meek-hearted.

5 Let the saints be joyful with glory : let them rejoice in their beds.

6 Let the praises of God be in their mouth :  
and



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are broken in heart : and giveth medicine to heal their sickness.

4 He telleth the number of the stars : and calleth them all by their names.

5 Great is our Lord, and great is his power : yea, and his wisdom is infinite.

6 The Lord setteth up the meek : and bringeth the ungodly down to the ground.

7 O sing unto the Lord with thanksgiving : sing praises upon the harp unto our God.

8 Who covereth the heavens with clouds, and prepareth rain for the earth : and maketh the grafs to grow upon the mountains, and herb for the use of men.

9 Who giveth fodder unto the cattle : and feedeth the young ravens that call upon him.

10 He hath no pleasure in the strength of an horse : neither delighteth he in any man's legs.

11 But the Lord's delight is in them that fear him : and put their trust in his mercy.

12 Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem : praise thy God, O Sion.

13 For he hath made fast the bars of thy gates : and hath blessed thy children within thee.

14 He maketh peace in thy borders : and filleth thee with the flour of wheat.

15 He sendeth forth his commandment upon earth : and his word runneth very swiftly.

16 He giveth snow like wool : and scattereth the hoar-frost like ashes.

17 He casteth forth his ice like morsels : who is able to abide his frost ?

18 He sendeth out his word, and melteth them : he bloweth with his wind, and the waters flow.

19 He sheweth his word unto Jacob : his statutes and ordinances unto Israel.

20 He hath not dealt so with any nation : neither have the heathen knowledge of his laws.

*Psalme 148.*

O Praise the Lord of heaven : praise him in the height.

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2 Praise him, all ye angels of his : praise him, all his host.

3 Praise him, sun and moon : praise him all ye stars and light.

4 Praise him, all ye heavens : and ye waters that are above the heavens.

5 Let them praise the name of the Lord : for he spake the word, and they were made, he commanded, and they were created.

6 He hath made them fast for ever and ever : he hath given them a law which shall not be broken.

7 Praise the Lord upon earth : ye dragons and all deeps ;

8 Fire and hail, snow and vapours : wind and storm, fulfilling his word ;

9 Mountains and all hills : fruitful trees and all cedars ;

10 Beasts and all cattle : worms and feathered fowls ;

11 Kings of the earth, and all people : princes and all the judges of the world.

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7 To be avenged of the  
heathen : and to rebuke the  
people.

8 To bind their kings  
in chains: and their nobles  
with links of iron.

9 That they may be avenged of them, as it is written: such honour have all his saints.

*Psalm 150.*

**O** Praise God in his ho-  
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2 Praise him in his noble  
acts: praise him according  
to his excellent greatness.

3 Praise him in the found  
of the trumpet: praise him  
upon the lute and harp.

4 Praise him in the  
cymbals and dances : praise  
him upon the strings and  
pipe.

5 Praise him upon the  
well-tuned cymbals : praise  
him upon the loud cym-  
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6 Let every thing that  
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*Psalms 150.*

**O** Praise God in his holiness : praise him in the firmament of his

2 Praise him in his noble acts : praise him according to his excellent greatness.

3 Praise him in the sound of the trumpet : praise him upon the lute and harp.

4 Praise him in the cymbals and dances : praise him upon the strings and pipe.

5 Praise him upon the well-tuned cymbals : praise him upon the loud cymbals.

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